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In 1634, in Russia, the penalty for smoking was a whipping for the first offense and death for the second.

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Thought For Today
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Youths Kidnap And Take Auto From L. Couey

Safety Engineer Robbed Before He Was Given Release

Lawrence Couey, state highway department safety engineer, and a son of Judge and Mrs. E. W Couey of this city, was kidnapped on his way from his home in Jefferson City to Kansas City about 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon and driven through Sedalia and released near Springfield late in the afternoon.

Mr. Couey, upon being released, went into Springfield where he made a report of the affair, telephoned his wife in Jefferson City, who in turn telephoned Judge and Mrs. Couey in Sedalia.

Mr. Couey, driving a state highway Ford car, driven less than one hundred miles, had started to Kansas City to attend the safety meeting. He had planned to pick up two Columbia officers on highway forty.

Drove Through Sedalia

Near the junction of highways 40 and 65, according to the report to Judge Couey, Mr. Couey was stopped by two young men clad in army uniforms. They produced a gun, forced him to give them the wheel, and started to drive south on highway 65. They went through Sedalia and on to the Valley water mill, north of Springfield, where they took what money he had, about $10, gave him his suitcase, and told him he might find his car later some place near Springfield.

Later Thursday night two youths believed to be the same, were reported to have stopped at Reeds Springs, Mo., to purchase gasoline. They went south from there, officers said.

Youths Admit 'Picking Pockets'

Two colored boys of Sedalia, William Jones and Lloyd Irvin, are in the county jail, and according to the police, will be charged with petit larceny in connection with "picking the pockets" of W. H. Gardner, of Clifton City.

The Negroes admitted to the police they took Gardner's pocketbook while he slept in his car near Jefferson street and Lamine, last Wednesday night. Gardner reported between $5 and $6 was stolen, while the two under arrest state they failed to obtain any money out of the pocketbook.

The two also in their statements said they ransacked the police car while it was parked. They said they took some things from it. No charges have been filed against them for robbing the police car.

Both are being held in the county jail pending a hearing before Judge Bente.

Urges Steps To Get Jobs Back

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 29—(AP)—The army is going to do everything it can to see that draftees rejected because of their physical condition get their jobs back in private industry.

Clarence Dykstra, national selective service director, advised the state headquarters today to "utilize every facility at your disposal . . . to reinstate in former jobs those men rejected after physical examination at induction centers. Every effort must be made to alleviate the hardship and suffering in these cases."

Col. Claude C. Earp, state director, said he was notifying all local boards to follow up such cases, and to ask employers to return such men to their jobs. If necessary, investigations will be made by Col. John H. Thompson, state occupational advisor who is in charge of draft deferments because of employment reasons.

Sharp Upturn In Purchasing

NEW YORK, Nov. 29—(AP)—Stimulated by cold weather demand for heavy apparel and the start of the Christmas shopping season, buying at retail stores this week hit top 1940 rates, and dollar volume averaged 8 to 10 per cent above a year ago for the country as a whole, Dun & Bradstreet reported today.

At some mid-western cities business averaged as much as 30 per cent above last year, with the average 12 to 16 per cent, in the south the year-to-year advance was 9 to 14 per cent, but in the southwest snow and ice storms reduced the margin of gain to 5 to 10 per cent. New England sales topped the like week last year by 6 to 8 per cent, the east by 8 to 12 per cent, northwest 4 to 9 per cent, and the Pacific coast 7 to 9 per cent.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Miss Odessa Thurman, of Warsaw, was admitted for surgery.

Harold Biven, of Rocheport, was admitted for an operation for appendicitis.

Gevert Monsees, of Sedalia route 2, was admitted for medical treatment.

Firemen To Repair Toys

John Lueck, fire chief, and the members of the departments, have again volunteered their services to repair and recondition used toys, to be distributed to the children of needy families on Christmas day.

For the past few years the firemen have made this a custom and those who have seen their work know just how worthwhile the practice is. So capable are the men in this work that the toys, when completed, look like new.

In many homes in Sedalia there are discarded toys that will probably never be played with again by children of those homes, but if reconditioned will make other, less fortunate children, happy. It is these toys an appeal is being made for.

Those who have such toys are asked to call the Chamber of Commerce headquarters, phone 896, and Boy Scouts will call for them. They will then be turned over to the firemen who are opening their workshop at once.

Safety Fair Is Being Held In Kansas City

Teeth In Traffic Program To Cut The Death Toll

By Ed Mills

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 29—(AP)—Kansas City has opened a three-day celebration today for its "unknown living."

It is the second annual Safety Fair. The guests of honor are not known by name.

They are the eight persons still alive who would have been killed had the city's streets been as hazardous as last year, and the 37 who lived through 1939 because of traffic safety improvement over 1938.

It was in November, 1938, that police began to put real teeth in a traffic campaign that hasn't slowed down since. After a gradual reduction in fatalities from a top of 104 in 1931, the city entered the last two months of 1938 with 64 deaths, seven more than for the same date in 1937.

Officials demanded action. Sharp enforcement and no more ticket fixing, plus a spirited educational campaign by newspapers and other media, made drivers so careful in those two months that the city finished the year with no

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Admit Robberies In Three States

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Nov. 29—(AP)—Highway Patrol Captain J. F. Shaw said today two Texas youths captured near here had admitted robberies in three states.

The youths gave their names as Grady Odell Thompson, 19, of Fort Worth, Tex., and Marvin Louis Lowery, 19, of Mansfield, Texas.

Captain Shaw said they signed written statements admitting robbery of a filling station in St. Louis county yesterday, and previous participation in holdups of filling stations at Henderson and Texarkana, Tex., and Ardmore, Okla. He said they placed the Texarkana robbery as occurring "three days ago" and the other two robberies "five or six dys ago."

The youths kidnaped Robert H. Gose, operator of the St. Louis county filling station, but released him unharmed at New Florence.

Disfavor By Roosevelt On Sales Tax Plan

Fiscal Advisers To Dine With The President Tonight

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—(AP)—President Roosevelt told a press conference today he would look with disfavor on a sales tax to raise additional revenue for the defense program.

The statement was in response to a press conference question about his supper conference tonight with seven congressional and departmental fiscal advisers.

The chief executive said he had not heard of any talk that a sales tax might be considered in any new general tax in the session of congress starting in January.

When asked flatly whether he would look with favor on such a proposal he replied he would not.

The President told reporters that his discussion tonight would be merely exploratory, that both taxes and expenditures would be examined but that no decisions would be reached at this time.

Invitations to the informal dinner and equally informal discussion to follow went to Treasury Secretary Morgenthau and Assistant Secretary Sullivan, Budget Director Smith, Senators Harrison (D-Miss) and George (D-Ga) of the senate finance committee, and Representatives Doughton (D-NC) and Cooper (D-Tenn) of the house ways and means committee.

Cut Non-Military Budget

President Roosevelt and his fiscal advisers seemed in agreement that non-military budget items must be cut to the bone, in addition, several of the Democratic revenue leaders in congress have come out for general increases in taxes.

While expenditures in the current fiscal year ending next June 30 have been estimated at around $13,500,000,000 congress approved appropriations and authorizations for this and future years totaling more than $20,000,000,000. Some congressmen predicted the 1941-42 budget may call for upwards of $15,000,000,000.

Secretary Morgenthau has favored raising the public debt limit from $49,000,000,000 to around $65,000,000,000 to take care of any new deficits.

Specific tax increases have not begun to take definite form. However, some tax leaders have hinted a general hike in individual and corporation income levies, a revision of the excess profits tax structure, removal of existing exemptions on federal, state and municipal bonds, boosting the soft drink tax, and increasing some of the other miscellaneous excise levies. Both individual and corporation levies were increased in bills passed this session.

Fears Of Strike Are Allayed

LONDON, Nov. 29—(AP)—Fears of a strike in Britain's war industries were allayed today as the result of an appeal last night from a 48-year-old dock worker to the governing body of the Amalgamated Engineering union to submit a wage dispute to arbitration.

Acting on Owen Jenkins' plea for mediation, the national committee decided against calling a half-day strike Dec. 14 to determine by vote the numerical voting strength back of a demand for a wage increase equivalent to five cents an hour.

Jenkins said he had two sons fighting for Britain.

"When they come home," he continued, "What could I say to them if I had struck while they were fighting."

Rumania Appears Delivered Into Hands Of The Reich

By Dewitt Mackenzie

Rumania's primitive political passions certainly appear to have delivered that unhappy country, neatly trussed, into the hands of the Germans.

It is true Fuehrer Hitler may eventually find a mixed blessing in this blood purge that is being carried out against supporters of exiled King Carol by vengeful and rebellious members of the pro-Nazi Iron Guard which seized the rule from Carol in September.

This revolt (for that's what it seems to be) naturally further disturbs the Balkans, which Hitler is trying to keep from boiling over. It also is a warning of the ever present fire underlying this volcanic part of the world.

I remarked in this column the other day that I thought the fuehrer was riding a tiger in trying to maintain control of Europe by force. The present position in the Balkans is a reminder that they are among his greatest problems.

However, on the whole I should say that the Nazi chieftain probably is pleased at the turn of events in Rumania. He now can impose what amounts to German military law on the country without having to explain to uneasy Russia or the rest of the world. Is he not forced to maintain order?

Slay Stern Opponents

Then, too, most of the prominent people slain were among the sternest opponets of Nazidom. Hitler may not approve of their removal in such a bloody manner, but it's hard to picture him weeping over the disappearance of men who were doing their utmost to block his domination of their country.

Admitted, Hitler already had his thumb on Rumania's new totalitarian government under dictator Antonescu, "Spiritual Chief" of the now unruly Iron Guard. The Nazi leader also had a big and steadily growing army in the country, but he was keeping it in the background so as not to antagonize the public too much or inflame the rest of the Balkans.

Today the hobnailed boots of the Nazi soldiers are crashing on the pavements of the Rumanian capital for all and sundry to hear. The lid is off, and Hitler can move as he sees fit.

Vassal of Reich

The semblance of independance which Rumania was striving to maintain must disappear. She is to all intents a vassal state of the Reich, and will thus remain so

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Seven Dead In Warehouse Blast

YAKIMA, Wash., Nov. 29—(AP)—A death dealing explosion followed by fire ripped a large warehouse asunder at Toppenish, Wash., Thursday, killing at least 7 persons and left an untold number of others buried beneath the ruins of five shops in the plant.

The blast was believed caused by gas which had collected in the warehouse basement or by dynamite which had been stored there.

The dead were identified tentatively as:

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Cline, operator of a merchandise store.

Patrick R. Oldfield.

Vernon Ramsdell.

Bill Duncan.

Two other bodies, one headless, were taken from the ruins.

About 12 persons were injured; six were taken to hospitals in serious condition.

Still Discuss The Contest

Canvass Of Vote Shows Donnell Elected By 3,613

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 29.—Missouri Democrats still considered contesting Republican Forrest C. Donnell's election as governor today—in the face of the secretary of state's tabulation showing Donnell the winner by 3,613 votes over Lawrence E. McDaniel, a Democrat.

C. M. Hulen, Democratic state chairman, discussed the possibility of a contest "informally" last night with Mayor Bernard F. Dickmann of St. Louis and other Democratic leaders.

Hulen indicated he would know "about the middle of next week" the "degree of truth" in reports to the committee alleging fraud, irregularities and errors in the gubernatorial voting. The state committee has been investigating such reports for two weeks.

One influential Democrat here said today he thought the possibility of legislative contest for the governorship still was "hot," although he added some members of the state committee were inclined to "forget it."

"This is entirely my personal opinion," he added, "but I don't think anybody is justified in talking down the prospects of a contest yet. If anything turns up in this investigation, I think we'll have one."

Any challenge of the result would be made when Secretary of State Dwight H. Brown submits to the legislature in January his tabulation showing Donnell, a Webster Groves lawyer, received 911,530 votes and McDaniel, former St. Louis excise commissioner, received 907,917. Jed A. High, Socialist party candidate, received 1,555 and William W. Cox, Socialist Labor, 205.

Closest Since 1916

The total vote cast in the state's closest gubernatorial contest since 1916 was 1,821,207—nearly 4,000 more than the total 1936 vote for that office.

The secretary of state's office canvass added 109 votes to the 3,504 margin given Donnell by the Associated Press unofficial tabulation made a few days after the election. It revealed only a few minor errors of addition by county officials.

Secretary of State Brown, one of the four Democrats winning a third term in the state capitol, led the Democratic state ticket with 963,017 and also had the widest margin of victory—109,661.

The vote for minor state offices: Lieutenant Governor—Frank G.

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German Cargo Ships Out To Sea

TAMPICO, Mexico, Nov. 29.—Two German merchant ships, apparently bent on an attempt to run the British blockade, steamed out to sea today blowing their whistles as they slipped down the Panuco river.

The 5,033-ton Idarwald entered the open sea, sailing eastward at 8:19 a. m., while the 6,031-ton Rhein followed several miles in her wake. They had found haven here since early in the war.

Both ships were reported carrying limited cargoes of fuel and provisions.

Twenty-two Are Trapped In Mine

CADIZ, O., Nov. 29—(AP)—A mine blast today was reported to have trapped "about 22" men in the Ohio and Pennsylvania Coal Co.'s Nelms mine.

"I would guess about 22 men are in the mine," said a spokesman at the company's office. "There aren't over that number. "The other men are all out. I guess there were about 200 of them. The general manager has gone into the mine and we won't know any more until he comes out."

Dies Confers With President

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—(AP)—Chairman Dies (D-Tex) of the house committee on un-American activities, conferred with President Roosevelt today and said later that he proposed to continue his "exposure" of subversive elements.

The Texan declined to comment directly on his discussions with the President, but said he knew nothwhich would alter his program.

Asked whether he had a satisfactory conference, Dies told newspapermen:

"Yes, to me."

He said that he had made no plans to confer with Attorney General Jackson about procedure to curb subversive activities and to detect fifth column agents.

Quail Hunter Killed By Discharge Of Gun

TROY, Mo., Nov. 29—(AP)—A fellow quail hunter's shotgun discharged accidentally yesterday, yesterday, killing Robert Hutt, 28, of Troy.

Memorial By Elks Sunday

Tributes Be Paid Members Passing Away During Year

Sunday afternoon, December 1, Sedalia lodge No. 125, B. P. O. Elks, will have its annual memorial service at the Elks Home in tribute to departed members.

Those passing away since the last memorial service are Ernest W. Jones, Samuel E. Long, William F. Logan, Henry V. Leist, Joy R. Cotterman, William Bertman, Will D. Riley, Walter A. Fischer and Daniel E. Kennedy, the latter a past exalted ruler.

Music for the ceremonies will be under the direction of the memorial program committee of the Helen G. Steele Music Club of which Mrs. Henry Loving is chairman.

A quartette composed of Mrs. J. B. Drake, Miss Dorothy Thornton, Charles Hanna and Rollin Godfrey will sing with Mrs. James Atkinson as accompanist.

The Rev. O. J. Rumpf is to give the memorial address.

The general eulogy to the deceased members will be by Attorney Henry Salveter, a past exalted ruler.

The program follows

Opening Service—Exalted Ruler and Esquire.

Hymn — "Crossing The Bar"—Quartette.

Roll Call—Exalted Ruler and secretary.

Eulogies to Departed Brothers, 1940—Henry Salveter.

"There Is No Death—Quartette.

Altar Services—Exalted Ruler and officers.

Memorial Address—Rev. O. J. Rumpf.

Hymn—"Oh Master, Let Me Walk With Thee—Quartette.

"Auld Lang Syne"—Audience.

Closing Exercises—Exalted Ruler and officers.

More Contracts On Defense Loom

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 29—(AP)—Thomas N. Dysart of St. Louis told the state industrial commission today "Missouri has fared very well in regard to defense contracts," with $79,039,095 of such work allotted Missouri firms up to Oct. 31.

"And in my opinion, there is more on the way," he added.

The 12-member commission named last summer by Gov. Lloyd C. Stark to represent Missouri interests in the national defense program, met here to review its work and plan its extension.

Stark listed among the commission's objectives that of "obtaining for Missouri a fair share" of defense contracts.

"We have intervened with (federal) procurement officers on behalf of some communities on specific orders," said Dysart, chairman of the commission.

"But we have not felt that the state industrial commission should be made a procurement office. We believe that our main purpose should be to acquaint the authorities with what Missouri has to offer and to urge each community to do so and then make it clear to the individual concerns that they must do their own direct selling."

"From now on, in addition to that work," Dysart said, "It should be the job of the commission to prepare to handle the impact of this defense job on our local facilities, such as health, housing, fire protection, civil protection, law enforcement, protection of vital industries, water and power supply and communications lines and so on."

Many state and federal officials whose departments will share in the defense effort outlined their activities at today's meeting, which will be concluded by discussion of possible new legislation required by the program.

Story Hour At Library

The story hour will be held at the Sedalia public library at 10 o'clock Saturday morning with Miss Mary Dix Van Doran telling the stories.

U. S. Embassy Is Stormed By Mexican Crowd

Demonstration As Wallace Arrives At Mexico City

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 29—(AP)—A crowd of some 200 Mexicans, shouting "Viva Almazan — Down With Wallace!" tried to storm the outer doors of the United States embassy last night and then scattered before the tear gas guns of motorcycle policemen just as Henry A. Wallace, vice president of the United States, arrived in the capital on an official visit.

The military and naval attaches of the embassy, Col. Gordon McCoy and Commander Wallace Dillon, reported they were cuffed about by the milling crowd but required no treatment for injuries.

No attempt was made to molest Wallace, who is here for the inauguration next Sunday of Mexico's president-elect, Manuel Avila Camacho, administration candidate who defeated General Juan Andreau Almazan last July 7.

However, it finally took the motorcycle escort which had brought Wallace here from Zimapan, to break up the demonstration.

At Zimapan, Wallace had told a large group of Mexican officials that "our being united in true understanding will contribute a powerful influence to fortify this hemisphere as a sure haven of peace and culture where democracy will always live."

Wallace and his party appeared to have escaped a serious encounter with the Almazanistas because the crowd had gathered at the embassy instead of at the residency, which is around the corner.

Entering the residency Wallace gave the impression that he was scarcely aware of the noisy commotion a little distance away, although it could be heard within the residency.

Embassy officials said they had learned that during the day leaflets were distributed throughout Mexico City, calling on Almazan followers to gather for the demonstration at the embassy.

General Almazan, in renouncing his claim on the Mexican presidency Tuesday night, said he did so because the United States had recognized his opponent, Avila Camacho, and was sending Wallace to the inaugural. Almazan insisted tht he had won the election but was withdrawing in the interest of peace and quiet.

The throng began its demonstration as the official party, including Wallace and U. S. Ambassador Josephus Daniels, drove past on the way to the residency. No members of the party were molested.

Cries of, "down with the United States—Viva Almazan—the United States detrayed Almazan—down with Wallace!" Rang out as the automobiles of the Wallace party arrived.

Stones clanged against the steel-shuttered windows of the embassy.

The motorcycle squads opened up with their tear gas guns, riding into the crowd and breaking it up. No arrests or serious injuries were reported immediately.

Session Is Held By Bankers Here

A meeting of the legislative committee of the Missouri Bankers Association was held at the Association's offices in Sedalia, this morning at which time routine matters were discussed and disposed of.

M. E. Morris, chairman of the committee, presided over the meeting. Mr. Morris is cashier of the Trenton National bank at Trenton, Mo.

Nine out of town members of the committee were present at the meeting.

Fiercely Bomb The Sea Gateways Of Italy To Albania

Liverpool Has Heavy Attack From Nazis

Strong Forces Of RAF Bombers In Night Assaults

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Germany's raiders singled out Liverpool, one of Britain's great cities and her chief western port, for their heaviest hits in last night's trading of air blows.

(Reports in Berlin today described the attack as destructive. They said fires in aircraft factories, warehouses and on the waterfront were visible for miles and that flaming oil pouring into the Mersey river from oil tanks smashed by bombs from "hundreds" of raiders lighted a scene of devastation.)

Britain's ports, through which the vital commerce of this island kingdom must flow, apparently have become the focus of Nazi raids.

By picking out Liverpool, shipping center for the industrial midlands, the Germans added another to the lengthening list of British ports recently bombed—among them Bristol, Plymouth and and Southampton.

Raiders Are Active

On their side, official British sources reported that "strong forces" of RAF bombers fanned far out over German territory last night in raids from the English Channel to the Baltic.

They said attacks were made on gas works, communications and armament factories in the German cities of Duesseldorf and Mannheim, on oil targets at a Baltic port and on the "invasion ports" of Antwerp, Boulogne and Le Harve.

The British air ministry also reported that its raiders bombed the naval shipbuilding yards at Stettin, Germany, and said the synthetic oil plant attack was at Politz in Pomerania.

Other targets were docks at the German port of Ouxhaven, railway lines in western Germany, military storehouses near Mainz and the Koblenz and Eindhoven airports, the ministry said. It acknowledged loss of two planes.

Bombs on Isolated spots

Besides "the main wave of the attack" on Merseyside, a joint communique of the air and home security ministries acknowledged that German bombs fell on "a large number of isolated points

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Confirm Leahy As Ambassador

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29—(AP)—The senate gave quick and unanimous confirmation today to the appointment of Admiral William D. Leahy as ambassador to France.

Senator Vandenburg (R-Mich) blocked a similar attempt to obtain confirmation of the appointment of J. Warren Madden, former chairman of the labor board, to the United States Court of Claims.

Pan-American Airliner Is Destroyed In Crash

QUITO, Ecuador, Nov. 29.—(AP)—A Pan-American-Grace airliner crashed two miles north of Quito today, seriously injuring the crew of four and the one passenger board. The plane was destroyed.

The crash came shortly after the liner took off here for Cali, Colombia.

'Amazon' Company Rolled Rocks On Italian Troops

By J. Wes Gallagher

SALONIKA, Greece, Nov. 29—(AP)—An "Amazon company" of Macedonian peasant women who helped the Greek army defeat 3,000 Italian troops by rolling rocks down upon them from the peaks of the Pindus mountains was described today in a Greek dispatch from the Epirus front.

More than 100 women were reported by a Greek correspondent to have followed a Greek army column, against the orders of an officer, and to have fought with the soldiers.

The correspondent quoted one middle-aged farm woman, Helen Codjamani, who was wounded in the fighting, as telling him:

"A sergeant, who passed through our village wanted to know the way to the Chapel of St. George. We told him and when he started off about 100 women took the trail after him. When we neared the chapel, we saw many Greek soldiers. When the officer saw us, he got very angry and ordered us to go back, but we started shouting, 'We shall not go back. We want to fight with you.'

"Since they wouldn't give us guns, we got hold of an ammunition magazine and trench mortars, and we followed the soldiers to the high peaks of the mountains.

"During the night other women joined us. We didn't lose a single minute, and when night fell our troops had occupied all summits and we were now waiting. We women took our places on the plateau of a mountain called Pournara.

"Next morning at 10 o'clock the Italians appeared in a ravine below us. Our soldiers let them advance. When about 3,000 thus entered the gorge, our soldiers started shooting. I cannot describe what followed.

"The Italians began to scatter and ran in all directions. Then we went into action and appeared at the extremity of the mountain and began throwing stones on the invaders. That was a terrible shower. When the sun set in the ravine there was not a single Italian alive."

British Make Counter Strokes In Air Attacks

ATHENS, Nov. 29.—(AP)—Fierce bombardment of Italy's sea gateway into Albania and a rout of Italian destroyers bombing the new British-defended Greek island of Corfu were reported today by the British Royal air force.

"Bomber aircraft carried out raids on Santi Quaranta (Porto Edda) where destroyers bombarding the Island of Corfu fled on approach of our formations, Durazzo and Elbassan (Elbasani)," said a communique apparently covering action yesterday and last night.

(The Italian high command, reporting bombardment of several objectives on Corfu, which lies just off the junction of the Albanian and Greek frontiers in the Ionian sea and southwest of Porto Edda, declared that the reaction to the "prolonged bombardment" was disorganized and ineffective.)

Shipping at Porto Edda was attacked and "bombs were seen to explode on wharves," said the RAF communique. At Durazzo, another Albanian port, and Elbasani, an inland base, "all the bombs fell in the target area but the results were not observed due to weather conditions."

Two of the British planes "failed to return to their bases."

One was a fighter lost in collision while in combat with an Italian plane which also crashed in flames. The British pilots bailed out but had not been found.

Ten Italian planes in all were said to have been downed in the last two days, including seven out of 20 fighters surprised by an RAF fighter formation over southwestern Albania yesterday.

"Our aircraft at once attacked and in less than a minute seven enemy aircraft were shot down," the communique said.

Broaden Naval Activity

LONDON, Nov. 29.—(AP)—Out of blazing naval warfare in the Mediterranean and a clash of light forces in the English channel Britain drew claims today of having clinched control of the sea Italians call "ours" and a rout of German warships.

Italy and Germany, presenting contradictory versions, have asserted that the British were heavy losers in the Mediterranean and channel actions.

The Italians insist that only a destroyer of theirs was hit in the recent battle of Sardinia while a British battleship, three cruisers

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School Is Held On Recreation

Did you ever try to sit on a gallon jug, cross your ankles, let only one heel touch the floor, then try to thread a needle? If you didn't you still have something to try, something that will give you a good laugh, according to the persons who attended the National Recreational school conducted here from Monday to Thursday, inclusive by S. H. Frieswyk, of the National Recreation Association, New York.

The purpose of the school, one of four conducted by Mr. Frieswyk in Missouri, was to help rural communities to entertain themselves. There was an enrollment of forty-seven men and women, ranging from the teen age on up, and representing nine counties, Pettis, Saline, Lafayette, Boone, Moniteau, Jackson, Dallas and Lawrence.

Mr. Frieswyk was assisted by Ralph Loomis, rural sociologist from the Missouri College of Agriculture and Miss Dorothy Bacon, home demonstration agent for Pettis county.

There were adult leaders present from churches, Parent-Teacher Associations, Community clubs, 4-H clubs, Home Economic Associations and other organizations.

The instructions were very diversified, from parlor games to folk dances, community singing, appreciation of music, development of harmony singing, and how to entertain crowds, from very small groups to as many as one thousand persons.

The Weather

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For The Red Cross

In these days when the Red Cross of America is seeking funds all over the country to carry on its merciful work, people are likely to think the need is restricted because of the closing of so much European territory to its beneficent mission.

It is well, therefore, to point out that war relief totaling $12,339,501 has been distributed to 10 nations. Of this sum, $7,261,489 has gone to the victims of the Nazi air attacks upon Britain. Considerable American bounty has also gone to Finland and China.

The need of the Red Cross for money is great because the calls upon it are and will be increasingly great. In a world where so many values are being destroyed, America and its Red Cross are almost the last, best hope for stricken people everywhere.

To give to the Red Cross is to give to the homeless and the helpless.

Riddle This One

Adolf Hitler and Benito Mussolini are dear pals. They tell us so themselves. They also announce that when they win all the wars they will set up a new order in the world. That being so, Hitler should be very much interested in the news from Athens that the wife of the Nazi minister to Greece, Princess du Erbach-Schoenberg, has organized the legation staff into a knitting club and already finished 800 articles including gloves and ear muffs for soldiers fighting in the cold Albanian mountain districts.

For Benito's Italians?

No sirree! For the valiant Greeks!

Flank Attacks on the Pocketbook

These are hard and trying times for the patient American taxpayer. That admirable citizen realizes there are certain city, state and national expenses that must be incurred. He knows the bulk of the money for these necessary things must be raised by taxation in some form or other.

But what he objects to—and rightly so—are the often concealed flank attacks upon his thinning pocketbook, the niggling assaults embodied in a multitude of bills passed without rhyme or reason.

The National Consumers Tax Commission, Inc., estimates that the 43 state legislatures, which meet next year, will consider more than 60,000 bills, of which 11,000 will be tax measures.

The commission predicts that, if the solons run true to form, they will enact 1800 of the latter, or an average of about 42 per state. It would seem a good moment to call for a moratorium on most of these.

Bombed Again Wilkinson

In palmy days before the present war there was no saucier figure in Britain's House of Commons than perky little Ellen Wilkinson, member for the business-depressed town of Jarrow. She was called "Red Ellen," not only because of her unruly mop of red hair, but also because she was a decided left-winger in the Labor Party.

In debate she was irrepressible. There was a red flame of courage in her. That same courage inspires her now as Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Home Security, a job which keeps her close to the besieged London.

Twice she has been bombed out of places she called home. After the last bombing, she sent a telegram to Jarrow where the folks were expecting her

"Bombed again. Cannot come. Deeply sorry."

• So They Say

My opposition to all forms of totalitarianism—Soviet, Nazi, Fascist and Falangist—is based upon my Catholic faith and my political convictions of freedom and democracy.—Don Luigi Sturzo, world famous Italian opponent of Mussolini, now in America.

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Personally, I abominate the draft. I want American mothers without drafted sons. But I think this draft is absolutely imperative for the conservation of the American way.—Fannie Hurst.

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The American people must be prepared to do their fighting outside the United States, not for the salvation of any other country, but for America.—Milo J. Warner, national commander of the American Legion.

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That was just a campaign gesture.—G. U. Harvey, Queens G. O. P. leader, announcing change of his decision to move to Canada if Willkie lost.

• The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson and Robert S. Allen

WASHINGTON—French appeasers who favor cooperation with Germany, particularly Vice Premier Laval, are going to have a rude awakening on the arrival of Admiral William Leahy, new U. S. Ambassador to Vichy.

Officially inspired French newspapers received Admiral Leahy's appointment as an indication that the United States had decided to play ball with Germany and was veering away from Britain.

But they were so wrong. Inside fact is that Admiral Leahy is one of Roosevelt most vigorous advisers in favor of helping Britain, and has even urged that a large part of the American navy be sent to Singapore in order to keep an eye on Japan, and serve as a silent warning against Japanese penetration down to the Dutch East Indies.

In the White House conference at which this plane was proposed, Admiral Leahy engaged in a hot argument with Under Secretary of State Sumner Welles, who was opposed to sending the fleet to Singapore and who pointed to the danger of a German naval advance on Daker and the Azores in the Atlantic.

Admiral Leahy replied that as long as the British fleet held out, there was no need to worry about Dakar and the Azores. But once the British fleet crumbled, he said, then the American navy would be up against the problem of guarding two oceans—which at the present time was impossible.

Aid Britain in Orient

Therefore Admiral Leahy urged that the United States help Great Britain now before it was too late, especially in the Far East. Keeping Japan in her place, he said, would have a more salutary effect upon the dictators of the world than any other single move the United States could make.

During this White House conference Admiral Stark, chief of naval operations, lamented that the fleet was unprepared because it did not have enough tankers to carry fuel oil across the Pacific. To this Admiral Leahy replied:

"Admiral, did you ever think of picking up the telephone and calling the heads of Standard Oil and Texaco? They have plenty of tankers and they are patriotic citizens who would be glad to lease them to the Navy."

This is the type of man Roosevelt is sending to France in an attempt to wean the French over to the British side and tip the balance of war against Hitler.

Note—Secretary Ickes pays tribute to Admiral Leahy as the best Governor ever to serve in Puerto Rico, where he has been stationed since his retirement from the Navy two years ago.

Virgin Islands Row

The Virgin Islands, always a political teapot, are boiling over with a new tempest so violent that Governor Lawrence Cramer and his boss, Secretary of the Interior Ickes, are not on speaking terms. Ickes has actually barred Governor Cramer from the Interior Department except on official business.

The feud began when Ickes got reports of a breakdown in law and order in the Virgin Islands, and sent an investigator to look into the situation. But without waiting to learn very much about the investigation, Governor Cramer began firing hot letters to Secretary Ickes protesting that his personal life was being investigated.

Later Governor Cramer came to Washington for a conference with Ickes, and he was about to leave, Secretary Ickes drawled "Just one more thing, Governor. You've never sunk lower in my estimation—if that's possible."

More recently, Ickes has sent Governor Cramer a letter referring to a "lying" memorandum and issuing this warning "From now on you will not communicate with me directly nor will you have access to the Interior Department except on official business. All of your communications shall be addressed to the Division of Territories and Island Possessions, which shall decide whether they shall be referred to the Assistant Secretary or the Under Secretary of the Interior."

Note—Last year Governor Cramer rowed with Secretary Ickes over putting running water and other model improvements in a village for sugar workers. Ickes opposed the plan as impracticable.

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College teachers need not be ashamed of a vocational taint disturbing their preoccupation with the liberal arts if they are also helping the vocations to become themselves liberal arts.—Dr. Ordway Tead, chairman, Board of Higher Education.

The United States will face a world of government-controlled trade and finance and of barrier trade, no matter who wins the war. But a Nazi victory would be far more disturbing, would, indeed, be disastrous.—Dr. J. Anton de Haas, Ziegler professor of International Relations at Harvard university.

• Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

Quite a number of Sedalia's theatre-goers took advantage of a pretty afternoon yesterday and visited the opera house to see "The Man of Mystery." Forrest Flood, the villainous "shadow" was the best feature of the play.

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Jim Hemphill, late with Arnold Brothers, the tailors, yesterday purchased the business of Frank Kruse of Ohio street.

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Complaints were made today by residents of South Grand avenue to Chief of Police Love against parties who are in the habit of driving stock, unloaded at the Katy stock yards, up Grand avenue and allowing the animals to destroy walks and yards as they pass along.

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Dr. J. P. Walker, J. J. Penquite and W. H Oglesby of La Monte were in town today.

• "Just Town Talk"

I'VE HEARD
OF PRIZE
PACKAGES
OF MANY Kinds
HAVE KNOWN Of Persons
WHO BOUGHT
THE MOST
USELESS THINGS
SO THEY Could
GET A Coupon
OR A Souvenir
OF SOME Kind
BUT I HEARD
OF A NEW One
THE OTHER Day
AND IT Seems
LIKE
NOW
SOME MEN
WORKING IN
AN INDUSTRIAL
PLANT
KNOW EXACTLY
WHEN TO Start
WORK
AND WHEN
TO STOP Work
BECAUSE
THEY RECEIVED
AS A Prize
WITH A Twenty-five
CENT PURCHASE
A WRIST Watch
JUST WHAT Kind
I REALLY Can't
IMAGINE
BUT IT Is One
NEVERTHELESS
I THANK YOU

• Smithton

Mrs. R. R. Lujin

Mrs. John Marsh and daughter Sarah Margaret of Kansas City and son Max Marsh of Tulsa, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bohon of Sedalia, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McBride and daughter Alice, Thanksgiving day.

Guests in the B. F. Hahnken home for Thanksgiving were Mrs. Emma Schlobohm, Mr. and Mrs. George Mahnken and son Gerald, Mr. and Mrs. John Ratje and son Delbert, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ratje, David and Donald Mahnken.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Homan entertained the following relatives at dinner Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Edward jaeger and son Homer, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Melendy and son Earl Homan.

Misses Docia Ross and Sadie Homan, Porter Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schlobohm motored to Tipton Thursday to eat Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs S. R. Hotsenpiller and family.

The annual Thanksgiving dinner for the Lamm relatives was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lamm. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. William Kahrs and son of Wichita, Kas., Wallace Haines, Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lamm and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Raut, Sedalia, Mrs. Charles Kahrs, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lamm, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lamm and daughter Miss Jean, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lamm, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schlobohm and family, Miss Betty Rose, Mark and Beasmore Lamm, William Padgett and Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Peithman and daughters of Knob Noster.

Fred Hoerman, Miss Martha Hoerman and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geuther of Waverly, Iowa, arrived Sunday for a visit with their mother, Mrs. Anna Hoerman and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Weiffenbach and children of Herman, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Olen Monsees and sons were guests of their mother Mrs. B. Weiffenbach Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. George F. Rudy of Redwood, Calif., who was driving a new car home from Flint, Mich., stopped over with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Monsees Wednesday night until Thursday afternoon. Other guests in the Monsees home Thursday were Mrs. Pearl Kahrs and daughter Miss Eileen of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs Raymond Kahrs and children and Mrs. Shelby Kahrs.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bremer left last week for Hot Springs, Ark., to spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Bremer, Wray Goode and little Cynthia Lou Mynatt went to Kansas City Sunday to spend several days.

Guests in the J. H. Pace home Thanksgiving were, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pace and Miss Eva Pace, Jefferson City, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pace and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor, and Miss Wanda Lee Pace.

Robert Newsome of St. Louis spent the Thanksgiving holidays in the T. M. Ferguson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mat Holtzen and son, Mrs. Adelaide Holtzen of Cole Camp, Mrs. Viola Moore, were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Holtzen and daughter, Miss Florence Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. F. J. Bremer went to Florence Thursday where she attended the family reunion of the Fritz Cramer family held at the home of her grandfather, Fritz Cramer on Thursday. Relatives were present from Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City and Leeton.

The following relatives and friends surprised Mrs. Earl Mombery Thursday night, her birthday, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Sharper and daughter, Mrs. Gladys Ray and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schlotzhauer and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wagenknecht and children.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Pace spent several days with relatives at Minnealo, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scott and family and Joe Edwards motored to Emminence, Mo., to spend Wednesday night and Thursday with Mr. Edwards' brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Will Edwards.

Mrs. Earl Momberg is confined to her bed suffering from tonsilitis.

Clarence Hoerman of Grandview and Miss Wilma Garrett of Kansas City were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hoerman Thursday.

Guests in the J. W. Rissler home Thanksgiving day were Mrs. Belle Stephens and Mrs. T. D. Ott of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Williams and three sons.

The Never Fail club met Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Klein. There were 15 present.

Mrs. Tena Monsees entertained the following relatives at dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Melford Monsees and daughter of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Homan Wear and two sons of Independence, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Monsees and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bluhm, Mrs. B. Weiffenbach, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Monsees and sons Dick and Everett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ellison of Beaman entertained the following guests with a turkey dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. William Fleming, Fairfax, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hampy and family of Florence, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Patrick of Sedalia, Miss Esther Huffendick, Miss Dorothy Martin and Harold Huffendick of Warrensburg, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ellison and daughter Miss Hattie of Smithton and J. B. Ellison Jr., of the home.

• Side Glances

By GALBRAITH



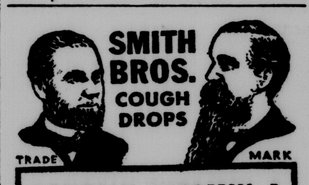
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No. 16—Leave ..... 4:35 a.m.
No. 12—Leave ..... 9:50 a.m.
No. 14—Leave ..... 6:15 p.m.

West Bound—Main Line
No. 9—Leave ..... 4:35 a.m.
No 5—Eagle Leave ..... 12:01 p.m.
No 15—Leave ..... 7:30 p.m.
No. 11—Leave ..... 4:38 p.m.
No. 19—Leave ..... 9:30 p.m.

Lexington Branch
No. 655—Daily except Sunday
Leave ..... 5:10 a.m.
No. 656—Daily except Sunday
Arrive ..... 11:40 a.m.

Warsaw Branch
No. 657—Daily except Sunday
Leave ..... 5:30 a.m.
No 658—Daily except Sunday
Arrive ..... 12:30 p.m.

MISSOURI PACIFIC BUS LINES
(Effective October 5, 1938)

East Bound
No. 108—Leave ..... 3:10 p.m.
(Stops at Jefferson City)
No 110—Leave ..... 6:00 p.m.
No 106—Leave ..... 11:10 a.m.

West Bound
No. 105—Leave ..... 2:50 a.m.
No. 103—Leave ..... 8:35 a.m.
No. 107—Leave ..... 1:00 p.m.
No. 109—Leave ..... 7:00 p.m.

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North and East Bound
No 6—Flyer Leaves 11:57 p.m.

South and West Bound
No 5—Flyer Leaves ..... 6:35 a.m.
No 6—Eagle Leave ..... 2:25 p.m.

CLOSING OUT SALE!
On account of my husband's death, I will sell at public auction at my farm, known as the Lute Reed farm, two miles north on Grand Avenue road, on
Wednesday, December 4th, 1940
The following property:
HORSES
1 4 year old mare, broke
1 5 yr. old iron grey mare, broke
1 Smooth mouth grey mare
1 year old horse
2 Smooth mouth mules
1 4 year old mule
1 Smooth mouth horse
1 Mule colt
COWS
17 Extra good Shorthorn cows
1 Good Whiteface bull
2 Extra good milch cows
5 Steer calves, wt. 500
9 Heifer calves, wt. 500
HOGS
38 Shoats, wt. 60 lbs.
5 Brood sows
1 Spotted Poland boar
HARNESS
3 Sets Harness, good
MACHINERY
2 Practically new wagon boxes
3 Wagons, good as new
1 Hay frame
1 Sulky Rake
2 Mowers, extra good
1 Sulky plow
2 16-inch plows
1 McCormick Binder
3 riding cultivators
1 Good disc
1 Bull rake
1 Iron roller
FEED
400 Bushels corn
250 Bushels oats
150 Bushels barley
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5:15	10:20	19		Cole Camp Jct	"	10:40	4:52
5:25	10:30	25		Lincoln	"	10:30	4:43
5:45	10:50	38		Warsaw	"	10:10	4:20
5:59	11:04	47		Dell Jct.	"	9:56	4:05
6:05	11:10	51		Fristoe	"	9:50	3:55
6:20	11:25	57		Cross Timbers	"	9:35	3:40
6:30	11:35	65		Preston	"	9:20	3:30
6:45	11:50	73		Urbana	"	9:12	3:20
6:55	12:01	79		Louisburg	"	8:55	3:00
7:15	12:20	88		Buffalo	"	8:35	2:46
7:45	12:50	107		Fair Grove	"	8:05	2:17
8:15	1:20	127	Ar.	SPRINGFIELD	" Lv.	7:30	1:45

t—Leave Sedalia for Marshall, Boonville, Columbia, and St. Louis—8:50 A. M., 12:20 P. M., 3:20 P. M., 6:23 P. M.
t—Leave Sedalia for Kansas City—12:20 P. M., 3:30 P. M., 6:30 P. M.
t—Leave Sedalia for Marshall, Lexington, Independence, Richmond, Excelsior Springs, Chillicothe, Trenton and Carrollton—8:50 A. M., 5:30 P. M.
t—Leave Sedalia for Tipton, Jefferson City—11:10 A. M., 8:10 P. M., 6:00 P. M.
t—Leave Sedalia for Warrensburg and Kansas City—8:3? A. M., 1:00 P. M. 7:00 P. M.
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Society And Clubs

The marriage of Miss June Medearis, of Knoxville, Tenn., to Mr. Tipton Masterson, of Sedalia, took place at the First Baptist church in Knoxville, at 12 o'clock, noon, today.

Mr. Masterson is a member of the faculty of Jefferson school, teaching the fifth grade. He came to Sedalia from Paris, Tenn., where he had been employed as an athletic coach. He and his bride were college friends at the University of Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Masterson will return to Sedalia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester V. Estes entertained at a 7:30 o'clock quail dinner Thursday night at their home, 1805 West Broadway. The guests were members of a bridge club to which Mrs. Estes belongs, and their husbands.

The dinner was served buffet style and guests were seated at four bridge tables. Pastel flowers and candles in crystal holders decorated the dining room table and blended with pastel fiesta ware service. Mrs. Estes' mother, Mrs. C. V. Moore, assisted in entertaining.

Guests were: Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Boger, Mr and Mrs. R. B. Paschall, Mr and Mrs. Edgar Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. John Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Van Horn, Mr. and Mrs Henry Nieman, Mr and Mrs. John Cameron and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Robinson.

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Church Events

The missionary social meeting of the Good Will Chapel Women's Society for Christian Service, was held Thursday with the president, Mrs. Ed Allcorn, and at noon a contributive luncheon was served followed by the business meeting.

A report was given on home missions work by Mrs. Park Green. Twenty members and two visitors were present. The next meeting will be with Mrs. E. C. Stevens, next Thursday.

Party For Honor Roll Students

Mark Twain school gave a party for honor roll students in the school auditorium Thursday evening. Refreshments were served at an old fashioned box party, the boys bidding from 1 cent to 10 cents.

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Knits As He Rides



Robert Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Anderson, (his father being chief of police of Sedalia) has almost completed a sweater for the Red Cross.

Robert, enrolled as a junior at Central Missouri State Teachers College in Warrensburg, rides the school bus each day from Sedalia there and return and knits as he rides.

At school he studies those studies necessary for obtaining a Bachelor of Science in Education degree, with a major in Chemistry and Physics for his plans are to work in the chemical division of a manufacturing plant.

Stony Point PTA Program

Stony Point P. T. A. met Wednesday night for their regular meeting. The president, Mrs. Kenneth Lewis had charge of the business meeting. An interesting program was put on by the following group, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wagenknecht, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Klein, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Rehmer, Mr. and Mrs. Orlyn Schroeder.

The program was opened with group singing.

Play, "The District School Aboard."

Piano solo—Miss Gertrude Wagenknecht.

Play, "Here Comes the Ice Man."

Piano solo—Claude Wood.

Recitation—Edna Ann Rehmer.

The presentation of "The Family Album."

Two rhymn dance numbers by Nina Wagenknecht and Johnnie May Sprinkle.

Group singing, "Old Black Joe."

Following the program a "hot dog" supper was enjoyed by all.

Not Guy Hurd Of Green Ridge Route 2

The defendant named in a news item in the case in which the plaintiff John Deere Plow company was awarded a verdict in a suit on account is not the Guy Hurd who resides at Green Ridge, route 2.

Licened To Wed

A marriage license was issued in Kansas City to Clayton L. Churchhill, Jr., Kansas City and Letha E. Irwin, Sedalia.

Parents Of A Son

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hughes, 628 East Sixteenth street, are parents of a boy born at 6:30 o'clock last evening at the Bothwell hospital.

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• Bunceton

Mrs. Ethelyn Nelson

William Harned, of Kansas City, spent Thanksgiving holidays with friends here.

Miss Willie Harris, of Warrensburg, spent the week-end with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Koontz spent Thursday in Pilot Grove with her aunt, Miss Rose Edmonston.

Harry Lee Friday, of St. Louis, spent the week-end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Friday.

Miss Katie Vieth of near Speed spent Sunday with Miss Lutie Salmons.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gerhardt and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gerhardt spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Kansas City.

Mrs. Louis Edson and son Porter Tumy and Mrs. Stella Nicklos of Kansas City Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tumy of Boonville and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tumy and daughter and Mrs. L. C. Holliday of Bunceton, enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mrs. Edson here.

J. R. Koontz visited his mother, Mrs. Lydia Koontz in the home of Mrs. J. S. Funkhauser in Syracuse Sunday.

Felix McClain and family who have been living in the Butchers property in the south part of town moved Monday to the Steward place.

Mrs. J. R. Koontz spent Monday night and Tuesday in Boonville with Mrs. S. M. Keenan.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crawford, Mrs. Norris Moore and Sam T. Smith were visitors in Boonville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Daniel had as their guests Thanksgiving day her mother, Mrs. Effie Spillers, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Spillers, Mrs. Norine Leake and son Billy and daughter Bettie, Mrs. Nelon Fischer and daughter Ruby all of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Chester of New Franklin and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Morris and son Dannie of Bunceton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Harned are visiting relatives at Mt. Home, Ark.

Mrs. H. W. Hays celebrated her 80th birthday Sunday at her home in Bunceton when the following relatives spent the day with her: Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Harris and son Monroe and Miss Ada Williams, of Cotton, Mrs. Evans Jeffries and sons Wayne and Willard of Independence, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Watring and Mr. and Mrs. J E. Page of Harrisonville, W. C. Watring and sons Granville, Jack, Bobbie and Russell of Otterville, Mrs. Ethelyn Nelson, George and Artie Hays of Bunceton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gerhardt and Walter Gerhardt, of St. Louis, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gerhardt.

George Heucker and family plan to leave about December 1st for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will make their home.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Rand and son James spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Peoria, Ill., visiting Dr. Rand's mother, Mrs. Ida Rand and sister, Mrs. Leonard Nelson and Mr. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Edmonston celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary at their home in Bunceton Thursday, November 28. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Koontz, Mrs. Ethelyn Nelson and Mr. Rheinholt.

Change Of Venue In Suit

A damage suit filed by Miss Hope Hieronymus against Arthur Hart has been transferred to Saline county, on a change of venue granted by the circuit court. The change of venue was asked for by Mr. Hart.

Smithton Resident Observes Birthday



Royal Anderson, of Smithton, route 1 (left) who with two of his daughters, Mrs. H. L. Eichhold, La Monte route 1 and Mrs. Homer Billings (in center) of the home address entertained thirty-four relatives Thanksgiving day in honor of his 83rd birthday, which was on Tuesday, November 26. Mrs. Steve Miller, (right) of Hardin, Mo., was unable to be present.

Fail To Collect On Checks Passed

A woman, who claimed to be Mrs. Tommy L. Martin, passed several checks, on which payment was refused, in Sedalia on Saturday, November 16, according to reports made to the police. A warrant has been issued in the court of Judge C. W. Bente, sitting as ex-officio justice of the peace, against the woman on information furnished by Harold Heerman of the C. W. Flower Dry Goods Co., which company accepted a check for $12.00 and it came back marked "account closed."

According to information received by the police department, the checks were written on the Kemper State Bank of Boonville. The woman, it was said, went to the bank deposited about $25, gave her address as rural route 1, Boonville, took a small check book and departed.

It seems that when the woman would give a check she would inform the person taking same they could call the bank and learn her identity and about her bank balance. Reports received here is to the effect she cashed several checks at Boonville and then came to Sedalia and flooded Sedlia with "$12" checks. The J. C. Penney Co., also accepted one of them.

Several years ago a like racket was worked on Sedalia merchants when a woman and a companion came to Sedalia and passed checks amounting from $10 to $25 written on a Boonville bank. It seems the persons had cashed the checks, on Saturday and on Monday went to the bank early in the morning and withdrew the greater part of their funds and disappeared.

No Comment By Roosevelt On Strikes

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29—(AP)—President Roosevelt refused to comment today on bills being offered in congress to curb or minimize strikes in defense industries.

He was asked at a press conference for his reaction on the bill of Representative Smith (D-Va) providing, among other things for penalties up to life imprisonment for industrial saboteurs. The president merely shook his head and commented he understood such bills were being dropped into the hopper at the rate of about three a minute.

Civil Service Plan Proposed

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 29—(AP)—Republican charges that Mayor Bernard F. Dickmann was attempting to perpetuate his machine at the city hall, today followed his release of a proposed charter amendment which would place 7,500 city hall employes under a civil service system.

Fred W. Evers, chairman of the Republican city committee, declared the mayor "wants to continue his power by keeping Democratic office holders on the job when the Republicans gain control of the city." A mayoralty election will be held next April.

Under the proposal, 500 city employes would be required to take "non-competitive" examinations, if the amendment passed, and the rest would continue in office without further qualification. All replacements, however, would be subject to rigid examinations.

Chairman George B. Tracy of the efficiency board, who helped draft the plan, said the provision for "blanketing in incumbent employes" had been recommended by civil service experts.

Other features would prohibit city employes from engaging in political activity or contributing to campaign funds.

The amendment is intended for submission to the voters at the April election. Meantime, Dickmann said yesterday, copies are being sent to civic groups for suggestions.

Secretary Green To Fair Officials' Meet

Charles W. Green, secretary of the Missouri State Fair, and Mrs. Green leave Saturday for Chicago where he will attend from December 1-4 the annual meeting of the International Association of Fairs and Expositions of which he is the vice president.

Meetings of other fair groups will also be held in that city which he plans to attend. Mr. Green is also an officer in several of them.

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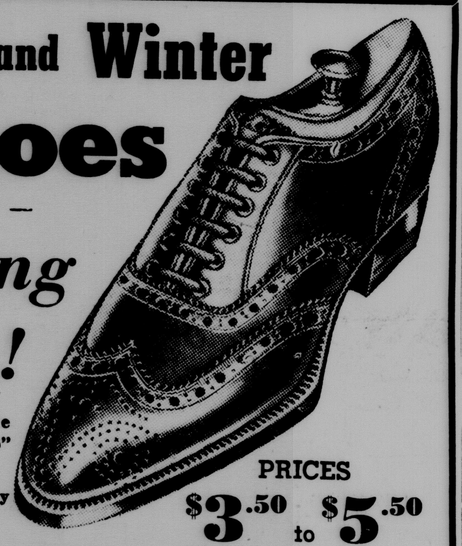
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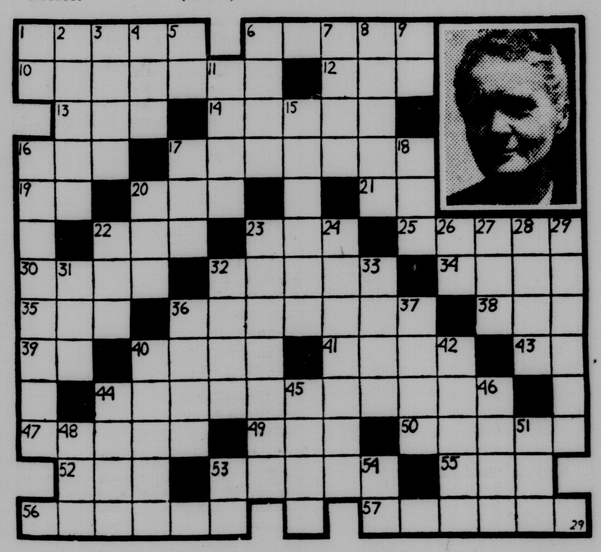
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Jake Fry Helps To Set Up The Four Touchdowns

By HAROLD CLAASSEN

LAWRENCE, Kas., Nov. 29—(AP)—The University of Kansas was thankful Thursday.

Thankful that its football team got more than a third of its season's supply of touchdowns before a point hungry crowd of 3,000 in defeating Colorado State, 26 to 0.

Thankful also for little Jakee Fry, a 157 pound quarterback who slithered over the thawing turf all afternoon in runs from 17 to 54 yards that helped set up every one of the four Jayhawk touchdowns.

Kansas' Second Win

It was only the second triumph of the year for the Kansans who could count but seven touchdowns in their first eight games.

The soft going mired the Colorado State passing attack and the Aggies didn't complete their first aerial until midway in the fourth quarter when they made their most persistent threat of the day. It carried to the Kansas 32 where a fumble wrecked the assault.

But the mud served only as grease to Fry's running gear on the first Kansas play from scrimmage he skirted right end for 18 yards to the state 27. Except for an eight yard sprint over tackle by Fry, Ed Hall puffed the remainder of the way and scored on an 18-inch blast through center.

Same Duo Repeats

The same duo counted the second marker in the same period after Herb Hartman blocked a Colorado State punt that was recovered on the Aggies 32.

Fry started on an end sweep and battered his way to the 15 before he was surrounded by tacklers. He lateralled to Hall and the later stormed through the surprised westerners to the end zone and then added the extra kick from placement.

Fry saved his best exhibition for the second half, however. Again on the first Kansas play from scrimmage he started on the same end sweep.

As he started for the left side line Colorado State's left end, John Meyers, broke through and spun the ball carrier around but Fry kept his footing, reversed his field, and dashed 54 yards to the goal.

Only moments later he returned a State punt 27 yards to their 33 where again Hall took over the scoring duties with big Jim Holloway coming in to kick the point.

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Versailles Tournament First Rounds Complete

The opening elimination rounds of the Versailles high school cage tourney were held Thursday evening on the high school basketball court at Versailles. The host team bowed to the Latham high school five in a close contest of 34-37.

Other teams who saw victory in the opening rounds were California who defeated Barnett 32-22; While Syracuse edged out on Stover 24-21,

Today Fortunia and Osage play the opening rounds and Leeton and Tuscumbia, the second game. The winners of these two games play each other. The last game of today's schedule will be at 8 o'clock tonight.

The final rounds are to be played Saturday with the championship game being run off at 8 o'clock Saturday night.

Conn Appears As Favorite In Fight

NEW YORK, Nov. 29—(AP)—Provided Sweet William Conn doesn't get the idea he's a killer, he should walk out of Madison Square Garden tonight with a win over Lee Savold, the corn-belt belter, and a match sometime next summer with Joe Louis.

According to most of the experts the Pittsburgh pretty boy figures to give Lee a lesson for as much of the 12 rounds as the fight lasts. But occasionally Billy Boy gets the idea he must show the folks some fancy stuff, so he walks out and slugs with some fellow who can hit.

Savold has a pretty fair country left hand capable of making the birdies sing. So if Conn does go out there to flail away with Lee, he may wind up on the seat of his silk pants.

Fight Results On Thursday Night

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — George Abrams, 161 Washington, stopped Henry Chmielewski, 160, Detroit, (6).

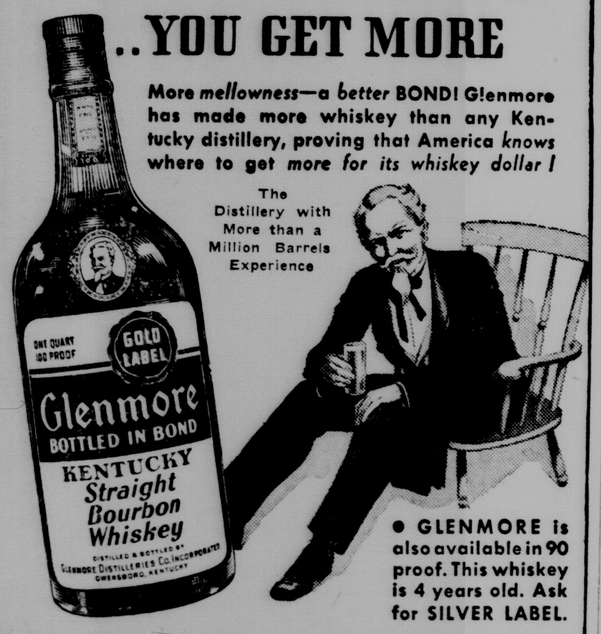
OMAHA, Neb. — Carl Vinciquerra, 193, Omaha, outpointed Henry Cooper, 192, Brooklyn, (10).

ELIZABETH, N. J. — Morris Parker, 130, Newark, stopped Frankie Flynn, 130, Batavia, N. Y., (5).

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Texas A-M Is Beaten By Old Jinx Rival 7-0

Only Touchdown Of Game Is Made After 57 Seconds Of Play

By FELIX R. MCKNIGHT

AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 29—(AP)—Mighty Texas A. and M., came to the end of its rope Thursday — strangled by an ancient jinx and a magnificent football team.

One fierce thrust in the first 57 seconds of play by their 46-year old traditional rivals, the University of Texas, bagged a touchdown, wrecked the Rose Bowl bound cadets and paralyzed 45,000 fans.

It was just that quick. Final score: Texas 7, Aggies 0.

Briefly and shockingly, it was Texas' football game from that first bold surge engineered by Peter John Layden, today one of the finest football players the old southwest ever has put on a field.

Only once did the Aggies threaten to pick up the thread of their great winning streak that had stretched to 19 consecutive games. That was on a magnificent one-man riot by John Alec Kimbrough, the All-America fullback. He went 63 yards straight down field on nine carries but the lone Aggie scare petered out on the Texas 12.

The jinx they said this Aggie team could lick—the one that has prevented a cadet eleven from winning in Austin since 1922 and allowed it to win only three times in 46 years, laughed its loudest tonight.

It cost the Aggies a Rose Bowl invitation, may cost them an undisputed Southwest Conference title. But there was a strong possibility they would move into Dallas' Cotton Bowl classic on New Year's Day.

Swiftly, without giving the Aggies much more than a couple of seconds to set their defense, the Texans struck on the first scrimmage play of the game after an out of bounds kick off.

Leisurely floating back to his own 25, Layden, 180-pound Texas fullback, unfurled a 33-yard pass down on the Aggie 34 that Cowboy Jack Crain gathered in just as he toppled out of bounds.

Back to the midfield stripe backed Layden on the next play, this time pegging a low liner 33 yards smack into the right hand corner of the field where Noble Doss took it on the one foot line and went crashing out of bounds

An Accuracy Tosser For Unbeaten Bears



Dwight Bumpus (left) 148-pound quarterback from Mount Vernon, O., is triggerman for the unbeaten, untied Southwest Missouri Teachers College, Springfield. Bumpus has a better than .500 pass completion average with the Bears this year although early in the season it was feared loss of part of a finger on his flinging hand would prove a handicap. Bumpus also does most of the punting and a large share of the ball toting. He's a junior. At the scales with Bumpus is Jim Cozed (right), graduate manager of athletics at the school.

• Lincoln

By Maye Messersmith

Dr. and Mrs. S. O. Stratton had as their dinner guests last Sunday Earl Moor of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Carl P. Moor and two children from south of town, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Moor and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Labahn.

Mr. and Mrs Alden L. Neumeyer of Smithton were supper guests last Friday evening of Mrs. Neumeyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stober.

Mrs. Carl Lumpe and daughter, Shirley Jean, left lst Saturday evening for Streator, Illinois, where they visited Mrs. Lumpee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bell and other relatives. Mr. Lumpe went on Thursday of this week and returned with his wife and daughter the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Lyda Mayfield and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Mayfield and their daughter, all of Sedalia, were the guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Allgaier and daughters.

Mrs. Laura Jonson and son, Yancey, both of Sedalia, visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wetzel and son Eugene. Mrs. Jonson and son and Mrs. Wetzel went to Windsor, where they called on Joel Yancey and daughter, Miss Grace Yancey.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Warrington of Kansas City, were guests last Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Craig, southeast of town. On Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Craig and three sons and Mr. and Mrs. Warrington were supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Attwood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Rogers returned Sunday evening from a visit at Mountain Home, Tenn., with relatives. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Worts and together they enjoyed a trip through Georgia, Florida and Louisiana. On last Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers visited in Knob Noster, Mo., with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hume and Mrs. Jennie Rogers and on Saturday night and Sunday they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Rogers, Jr., in Kansas City.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kullman last Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kullman, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kreissler, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schenewark, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kreissler and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kreissler, Kenneth Sartin, Clarence Kullman, Oliver Kreissler, Misses Margie Huff and Pollyanna Dick. The occasion was a surprise to Mr. Kullman in honor of his birthday which came on the day following. Refreshments of chicken and cheese sandwiches, pickles, cake, cookies, candy and coffee were served the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gerkin of Kansas City were guests Saturday and Sunday of Mrs. Albert Gerkin.

Mrs. Lawrence Eickhoff and Mrs. Leon Borchers took Mr. Sapp and E. A. Williams to Columbia last Friday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kreissler for dinner last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grube of near Cole Camp, Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Eckhoff, Mr. and Mrs. George Kreissler, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Vette and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wenig and family.

Roy Berry of north Kansas City spent last week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hunt and son, LeRoy of Windsor, were guests from Friday to Sunday of Mrs. Hunt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Schenewark were hosts to the members of the Lincoln WPFA and others on last Thursday evening

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Peterson of Clinton spent Sunday here with Mrs. Peterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Swearingin.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Redman and Mrs Guy B. Neas left last Monday for their home in Odessa, Texas, following a visit here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis of Seminole, Oklahoma, were guests last Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wetzel and son, Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lumpe were guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Muller in Cole Camp.

Mrs. R. C. McCandless was hostess to twenty-five members of the Society of Christian Service of the local Methodist church at her home, on Wednesday, Nov. 13, in an all day session of study and worship in observance of the week of prayer. The devotionals in which all participated were "The Road of Life," led by Mrs. C. D. Brill and "Thanksgiving," led by Mrs. J. W. Watts. Talks on the Scarritt Bible and Training School were given by members. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon. A special offering for the establishment of a chain of religious life and thought at Scarritt college, Nashville, Tennesee, was taken which amounted to $40.

Miss Leona Henry has been employed to finish the term of school at Orr, following the resignation of Mrs. Herschel Hansen.

Dr. and Mrs. S. O Stratton and Mr and Mrs Carl R Moor and two children went to Kansas City Thursday morning where they spent Thanksgiving with relatives.

• Real Estate Transfers

J. B. Greer, county collector, to Charles R. and Bertha Hayes, collector's deed to property at the southwest corner of Sixth street and Madison avenue $8.00.

Porter Real Estate Company to Charels R. Hayes and Bertha Hayes, quit claim deed to same property as last described $1.

Mary Phillips and husband and others to Richard M. Battles and Freda Battles, warranty deed to property on the west side of Barrett avenue between Sixteenth and Eighteenth streets $1,440.

George O. Cathey, guardian, to Richard M. Battles and Freda Battles, guardian's deed to undivided one-tenth interest in same property as last described $360.

Joseph Kahrs to James J. Lingle and Nellie E. Lingle, warranty deed to property on the south side of Eleventh street between Ingram and Thompson avenue $1 and other consideration.

J. B. Greer, county collector, to T. A. or Alberta Leftwich, collector's deed to property on the north side of Wilkerson street between Moniteau and Vermont avenue $55.

J. T. Montgomery and wife to Jess DeWitt and Derby DeWitt, warranty deed to 20 acres of land, more or less, in Heaths Creek township $1,000.

Home Owners' Loan Corporation to Mrs. Amelia Brown, warranty deed to property at the south east corner of Third street and Marvin avenue $500.

William A. Collins and wife to C. W. McNealy, warranty deed to property on the north side of Fourth street between Grand and Quincy avenue $1 and other consideration.

Rebecca Laupheimer to Quincy A. Morgan, warranty deed to the property at the southwest corner of Main street and Kentucky avenue $1 and other consideration.

Elizabeth A. Gregory to J. T. Edmundson and Erma Edmundson, warranty deed to property in the town of LaMonte $1 and other consideration.

Wallace M. Retherford and wife to Henry L. Retherford, warranty deed to property at the southwest corner of Eleventh street and Lamine avenue $700.

Dessie Hinds and husband and Rose Franks to Edna H. Sewell quit claim deed to property in the town of Houstonia $1 and other consideration.

Phoenix Joint Stock Land bank of Kansas City to Paul Harvey and Beulah Harvey special warranty deed to 160 acres of land, more or less, in Dresden township $3,000.

Emma Gum and others to C. C. Nash and Henrietta Nash, warranty deed to property on the north side of Twentysecond street between Vermont and Missouri avenue $1 and other consideration.

G. Fred Martin, sheriff of Saline county to Russell Nicholas, a sheriff's deed to 40 acres of land, more or less, in Blackwater township and other land in Saline county $9,870.

Taylor F. Cain to T. A. Leftwich and Alberta Leftwich, quit claim deed to property on north side of Wilkerson street between Moniteau and Vermont avenue $1 and other consideration.

Willis R. Edmunds and wife to J. E. Fairfax and Georgia Fairfax, special warranty deed to 545 acres of land, more or less, in Flat Creek and Smithton townships $1 and other consideration.

T. H. Delph and wife to R. F. Delph warranty deed to property at the northwest corner of Fifteenth street and Ohio avenue $1 love and affection.

Mary T. Owens to Robert L. Goodman and Clair W. Goodman warranty deed to property at the northeast corner of Ninth street and Summit avenue $1 and other consideration.

Charles Sparks and wife to Walker D. Sparks, warranty deed to 60 acres of land in LaMonte township $1 and other consideration.

Charles Sparks and wife to Harry Sparks and Ada Sparks Porter, warranty deed to 89 acres of land, more or less, in LaMonte township $1 and other consideration.

Joe L. Robb to Mord Robb, quit claim deed to property on the north side of Fourth street between Porter and New York avenue $1 and other consideration.

Charles Whitley and wife to Mord Robb, quit claim deed to the same property as last described $1 and other consideration.

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Mamie Paige and others to Ida Rank warranty deed to property in the town of Green Ridge $600.

William Owens to C. W. Kiekroeger quit claim deed to 40 acres of land, more or less, in Blackwater township $1.

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Columbia 0, Brown 0.
Bucknell 7, Albright 0.
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Catawba 12, Lenoir Rhyne 0.
Chattanooga 20, Mercer 6.
Lane 21, Benedict 0.
Southern Georgia 19, Middle Georgia 14.
Middle Tennessee Teachers 6, Tennessee Tech 0.
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Parsons 20, Iowa Wesleyan 0.
Oklahoma City 21, McMurry 13.
Trinity 13, Austin College 6.
Ouachita 34, Hendrix 0.
North Western (Oklahoma) Teachers 12, Eastern New Mexico 0.
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Another 'Monster' Role For Horror Man Boris Karloff

Boris Karloff is one screen and stage star who doesn't attribute his success to ability alone. He modestly claims that luik plays a great part in helping one up the ladder of success.

Unlike many present day stars who were chosen by movie moguls for high salaried roles because of Broadway ability, Karloff accidentally happened to crash the motion pictures in a most unromantic situation. He was driving a truck on the Universal lot when executives there were trying to pick a player to portray the Monster in "Frankenstein."

Karloff applied for the job. A truck driver requesting the job of actor! The studio heads were abashed until Karloff explained that he was only a truck driver by necessity and not by choice. He related how he toured the United States and England in plays.

Karloff was born in London more than forty years ago. He attended Uppingham King's college and after several years of diplomatic government training, he ran away from school and home to become an actor. He went to Canada and there started in stock.

In the end, Karloff won out. He was given the role and ever since he has been one of the most popular stars on the screen. In "Frankenstein" Boris Karloff has made screen history.

Once again Karloff depicts a crazed character in Monogram's "The Ape" now at the Liberty theatre with a large and popular cast.

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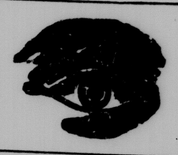
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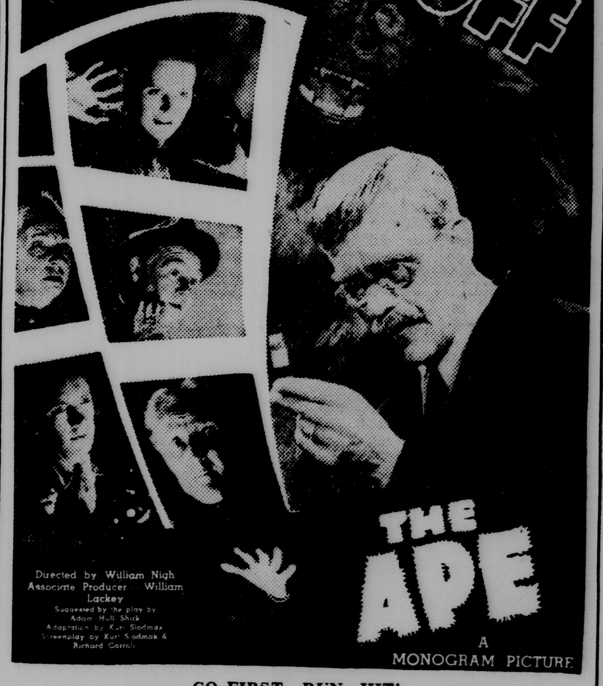
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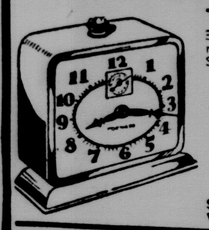
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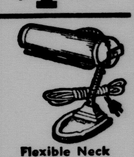




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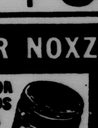
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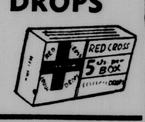


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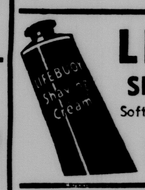


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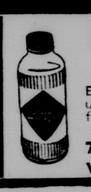
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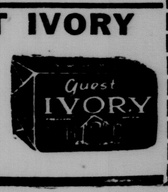
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There was no confirmation in official quarters that the release of additional United States naval vessels was under consideration, or that a grant from Canada for the proposed defense highway might figure in such a transaction.

Talk of such a development was heard, however, in the discussion that has sprung up since the Lord Lothian, the British ambassador, returned from London recently with word that more ships were among his country's urgent needs.

Completion of a highway between the United States and Alaska has long been advocated as a means of freeing American military outposts in Alaska from dependence upon a long sea route for supplies and relieving the navy of convoy duty in this area in event of war.

Anthony J. Dimond, delegate in congress from Alaska, has estimated that a good road could be constructed to close the existing gap between Hazelton, Canada, and the existing Alaskan highway system for $25,000,000.

Speculation as to additional naval vessels which this government might exchange for a highway "corridor" has centered on destroyers because estimates of England's needs have stressed increased protection for ships carrying food and munitions.

Fiercely Bomb The Sea Gateways Of Italy To Albania

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and an aircraft carrier were damaged.

(The Germans declared that, far from being routed, their channel forces torpedoed two British destroyers while two steamers of 9,000 and 3,000 tons and two smaller vessels also were sunk.)

Reports filtered through the admiralty—traditionally "the silent service"—indicated that a broad offensive intended to sweep the Mediterranean clear of Italian naval forces and strike at Italy as the "Achilles heel" of the axis controlled continent is underway.

This naval warfare, with accent on aerial operations wherein torpedo-planes are matched against the largest battleships, appeared to be the initiative Britain is striving for to counter Germany's siege of Britain by air and sea.

It is being waged in apparent coordination with the RAF's continuing land operations against the industries and communications of the axis powers.

Damage Italian Ships

Rome and Berlin have disputed British reports of victory and claim successes in the same actions. But this is what the British say their sea forces, with the great help of the fleet air arm, have accomplished this week:

Damaged six Italian warships Wednesday afternoon off the Italian island of Sardinia—torpedo-plane hits on a 35,000-ton battleship of the new Littorio class and a 10,000-ton cruiser of the Bolzano class; dive-bombing of another cruiser; firing of still another and gunfire damage to two destroyers.

Routed German "light forces" early today in the English channel with thusfar unspecified damage to the fleeing German craft—apparently destroyers or smaller craft—and admitted damage to one British ship.

Bombed Port Laki, on the Island of Lero, in the nest of the Italian-held Dodecanese islands in the eastern Mediterranean, where fires were set in the waterfront area, and a vessel, probably a warship, was attacked.

Bombed the Port of Tripoli, in Italian Libya, where another ship was hit and fires started which were visible 60 miles away.

By Italian acknowledgement, British planes also struck at the naval bases of Brindisi and Taranto, on the heel of the Italian boot, but, according to the Rome communique, "dropped explosive and incendiary bombs only near Brindisi, where they fell in open country and the sea."

(The totalitarian side af this picture offered identification of the 35,000-ton battleship claimed by the British to have been torpedoed in the battle off Sardinia as the crack new Vittorio Veneto, but the official Italian news agency Stefani declared that the Vittorio Veneto "dodged" the only aerial torpedo launched at it.

Stefani went on to say that only a destroyer was damaged and two British cruisers of the Kent and Birmingham types damaged by eight inch-shells and forced to flee.)

Chairman of Athletic Commission a Visitor

Colonel John J. Griffin, chairman of the Missouri Athletic Commission, vice-president of the Mutual Bank and Trust Co., St. Louis, Mo., was a visitor in Sedalia today. Colonel Griffin attended a meeting of the legislative committee of the Missouri Bankers Association.

Rumania Appears Delivered Into Hands Of The Reich

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long as Hitler retains domination of Europe.

It may be expected that as soon as he has established peace in Rumania, Hitler will continue to fill the country with troops, who will live out of the vast granaries of this fertile Danubian land. This military machine thus will be strategically situated along the navigable Danube and up against the Black sea, able to serve their master in these vital ways:

1. To maintain "peaceful" control of the Balkan peninsula, until such time as the fuehrer may raise the torch of conflict. This function will be invaluable to the reich in the event of a stalemate in the war, for in that event Hitler will be left to control of Europe so long as he can keep it in hand by force.

2. To provide a base for the drive which the axis may attempt against the Dardanelles in an effort to smash Britain in the eastern Mediterranean.

3. And, as uneasy Moscow must be thinking at this moment, this German force is a potential menace to Russia in the event that Hitler should decide to carry out his long cherished ambition of annexing her rich Ukraine.

Hitler's bloodless conquest of Rumania, and Mussolini's disastrous attempt to take over little Greece, provide us with an excellent example of the difference in methods of operation (and results) by which two dictators who have set out to rule all Europe and Africa (and only they know how much more.)

The fuehrer reduced Rumania through fifth column operations extending over several years. He was methodical and persistent—outstanding characteristics of the Germans. Mussolini appears to have emulated his partner up to a point, but the meticulous persistence and cunning care of the Nazis was lacking. So we see Il Duce's troops retreating before the hardy Greeks, while Hitler's clank about the streets of Bucharest.

Train Hits Mine; Killing Many

SHANGHAI, Nov. 29.—(AP)—Five coaches of a Shanghai-Nanking train were blasted from the tracks today and between 100 and 400 persons killed or injured as the toll of a dynamite mine reported laid by Chinese guerrillas to spoil the impending ceremonious signing of a Japanese-sponsored treaty at Nanking.

One report had it that passengers on the train included Japanese and Chinese officials bound for Nanking to participate in the signing tomorrow of a pact of recognition and collaboration between Japan and her creation, the Wang Ching-Wei Chinese government.

It also was considered possible that foreigners were aboard the train, including American newspapermen en route to Wang's capital for the treaty ceremonies.

However, Japanese military authorities who direct operation of the line, denied that either officials or newspapermen were aboard.

Japanese military quarters expressed belief that 100 casualties was the "approximately correct" figure for the wreck but unconfirmed Chinese reports were that the number was much higher—100 dead and 300 injured.

The accident occurred at Soochow, about 50 miles west of Shanghai.

The railway has been under Japanese military operation since the Japanese capture of Nanking December 14, 1937.

Rail service to Nanking was reported stopped completely by the explosion which caused heavy damage to the road bed.

The wrecking was interpreted here as an effort by followers of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek's government to discredit and trouble Wang's regime.

Wang's administration, preparing for the formality of recognition by Japan tomorrow and treaty signing, was disclosed yesterday to have sent Chiang a "last exhortation" that the Chungking government stop fighting and join in peaceful cooperation with Japan.

British Outlay On War Supplies

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—(AP)—The treasury disclosed today that the British government spent $315,749,000 of its American capital assets to buy war supplies here during the first year of the war, and at the end still had at least $385,719,000 of cash on deposit in American banks.

These cash resources were exclusive of the gold held for British account. More than $4,000,000,000 worth was shipped to the United States from various parts of the empire in the first year of the conflict.

While the British were spending their American assets—$157,321,000 of bank deposits and $158,428,000 of proceeds from the sales of American securities—most of the world was sending money here in unprecedented amounts for safekeeping.

At the end of the year total foreign bank deposits in this country—some of it normal commercial balances but most of it staying here for refuge from the war—had reached the record-breaking figure of $3,601,419,000.

Liverpool Under Heavy Attack From Nazis

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in the southern part of England."

One report after another from provincial areas stressed the ferocity of the "ack-ack" barrage, not only from the Merseyside area but also from East Anglia, northeast England, the midlands and Wales.

Three areas of London were identified officially as scenes of recent heavy air raid damage—Silvertown, East London district which was flattened by a disastrous munitions explosion in the world war; Hackney, in Northeast London, and Willesden, in the northwest.

London had a half hour air raid alarm—its first of the day—beginning around noon. By shortly after noon there had been three alarms.

Late information showed that residential districts in two southwestern towns were more extensively damaged than first reports indicated, the ministry of home security said in a communique.

A small number of persons was killed, but casualties were not considered heavy, the communique added.

Relief For Homeless

LIVERPOOL, England, Nov. 29.—(AP)—Relief workers provided shelter today for many families bombed out of their homes overnight in the worst German air assault on the Merseyside.

Many homes were demolished but relief work began even while the bombs were falling and most of the homeless were fed and established in new quarters while the raid still was in progress.

Wave after wave of raiders swept inland from the Irish sea and spread over the northwest area.

At several points in Loverpool rescue workers dug in wreckage for victims trapped in their bombed homes.

In many streets there was not a window left intact in buildings and residences.

Air raid protection officials said many persons would be transferred from this area to accommodations elsewhere because of damage to their homes.

Casualties in Merseyside were described as "amazingly slight, in view of the length of the raid and the method of indiscriminate bombing by relays of planes.

Liverpool's populace praised the heroism and efficiency of its fire department and Auxiliary Fire Service, which tackled fires set by uncounted incendiaries.

In the face of what was described as the most intense and continuous anti-aircraft barrage ever put up in the north of England, the Germans had to keep dropping flares to light their objectives.

In another northwest town a whole row of houses was crumbled and a warehouse badly damaged.

Some persons were known to have been killed in another northwest town which suffered the longest raid of the night in this area. Demolition squads tunneled into the debris this morning in search for bodies.

Still Discuss The Contest

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Harris, (D), 943,862; William P. Elmer, Salem, (R), 869,954.

Secretary of State—Dwight H. Brown, Poplar Bluff (D), 963,017; Lloyd (Boots) Miller, Springfield, (R) 853,356.

Auditor—Forrest Smith, Richmond (D), 960,623; J. T. Waddill, Kirksville, (R), 854,857.

Treasurer—Wilson Bell, Potosi, (D), 953,047; Scott Peters, Jefferson City, (R), 860,661.

Attorney General—Roy McKittrick, Salisbury, (D), 954,864; Ray Maybee, Unionville, (R), 859,627.

Supreme Judge— George Robb Ellison, Maryville, (D), 948,720; Frank E. Atwood, Jefferson City, (R), 863,879.

Vote on Senator

The vote for United States senator

Harry S. Truman (D) 930,775; Manvel Davis (R) 886,376; W. F. Rinck (SOC) 1,669; Theodore Baeff (SOC-LAB) 196.

For Congress

First District—M. A. Momjue (D) 62,461; H. S. Beardsley (R) 61,123.

Second—W. L. Nelson (D) 677,922; Roy D. Miller (R) 66,794.

Third—R. M. Duncan (D) 77,424; Fred Maughmer (R) 67,757.

Fourth—C. Jasper Bell (D) 72,331; J. W. Mitchell (R) 48,181.

Fifth—J. B. Shannon (D) 63,202; F. W. Hanna (R) 53,390.

Sixth—R. T. Wood (D) 67,902; Phil A. Bennett (R) 78,746.

Seventh—Vernon Sigars (D) 59,344; Dewey Short (R) 86,547.

Eighth—Clyde Williams (D) 64,263; Parke M. Banta (R) 61,567.

Ninth—Clarence Cannon (D) 60,204 ... F. B. Meyer (R) 48,704.

Tenth—Orville Zimmerman (D) 69,859; C. E. Davenport (R) 51,755.

Eleventh—J. B. Sullivan (D) 85,722; Charles J. Riley (R) 68,088.

Twelfth—C. Arthur Anderson (D) 108,605; Walter Ploesser (R) 127,005.

Thirteenth—John J. Cochran (D) 82,417; W. S. Sanford (R) 45,262.

Birth Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. James Clifford, 1723 South Kentucky avenue, are the parents of a 7 pound son born at the Bothwell hospital Thursday. Mr. Clifford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Clifford, 1602 South Osage, and Mrs. Clifford was formerly Miss Valinda Curtis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Curtis, route 3, LaMonte.

Safety Fair Is Being Held In Kansas City

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worse a record than 1937—69 dead.

That was only a starter. Last year traffic fatalities dropped to 32, a decline of 53 per cent—a saving of 37 lives.

This year there have been 20 deaths to date compared with 28 in the same period of 1939.

Celebrate On Awards

The fair celebrates these awards to Kansas City for 1939's safety mindedness:

Grand award of the National Safety Council for the best all-around traffic accident reduction.

A tie for the American Automobile Association's award for best work in reducing pedestrian fatalities.

The National Safety Council's award for the safest truck fleets.

The Anthony N. Brady award for the best transit company safety program in the United States and Canada.

Second place in the National Safety Council's industrial accident prevention contest.

Two other high marks reached in 1940 will be observed by the fair—the passage Oct. 25 of the fifth year without a fatal traffic accident to a child going to or from school; a stretch of 85 days without a traffic fatality.

The fair itself will give police, state highway patrolmen, sheriff's deputies, civic organizations, firemen, health groups and others a chance to display their contributions to the record and programs aimed at making it better.

It will include a moving picture, "guilty," filmed by police as a pictorial warning to reckless driving. Augmenting its effect will be the "chamber of horrors" — police still pictures of fatal accidents.

The radio quiz program fad has been borrowed and drivers will be given a chance to show their knowledge of city traffic laws—including the stringent 25-mile-an-hour night speed limit.

Motorists are permitted 35 miles an hour on some broad, through streets in daytime.

The fair will wind up with a grand finale of police, army units, firemen, junior police groups and others in a "parade of the protectors."

Everyone attending will be in the parade of the protected.

AFL For Short Week Of Work

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 29—(AP)—The American Federation of Labor today "strongly" reaffirmed its endorsement of a 6-hour day, 30-hour work week without reduction in pay or standards but did not recommend that it be put into practice at this time.

The annual convention instructed the AFL officers to guard against any encroachment on the present 40-hour week and the wages and standards now in effect.

William Green, AFL president, asserted his belief that the day would come when the 30-hour week would be recognized.

The convention also opposed as "vicious" a bill introduced in congress by Representative Clare Hoffman (D-Mich) calling for a pay cut for all government employes outside those in the armed forces or exempted from salary reduction by the constitution.

The remaining delegates—dozens dashed homeward, anyway—pondered the acceptance speech promise of President William Green after his unanimous reelection to a 17th term that he would devote himself to bringing peace to the labor movement.

Seattle was selected for next year's meeting place.

Convention adjournment was delayed by delegates with speeches on their chests and boosters of various cities bidding for the 1941 meeting.

McDonald Be Given New Post

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29 — The White House announced today that President Roosevelt had accepted the resignation of Stewart McDonald as federal housing administration and that McDonald would become deputy federal loan administrator.

The President offered the federal housing post to Abner H. Ferguson, now first assistant FHA administrator.

McDonlad will continue to work under Jesse H. Jones, the federal loan administrator, whose office includes supervision of all housing loan activities of the government.

It was said he was resigning his present post so he could give more time to the management of the Maryland Casualty Company in which the reconstruction finance corporation, another federal loan agency, has a large investment.

Employment Shows Rapid Increase

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29—(AP)—Secretary Perkins reported today that an increase in employment of more than 250,000 between mid-September and mid-October had boosted the number of employed to the highest level since 1929.

Miss Perkins noted that the major part of the gain was in the manufacturing industries, a gain of 2 per cent in contrast with an expected seasonal decline of 0.4 per cent.

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Predict Heavier Traffic Toll

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The National Safety Council predicted today that the nation's 1940 traffic toll would exceed last year's, possibly by as much as 2,000.

Heading into the dangerous Christmas season, America has a 10-months' toll of 27,360 deaths, compared with 25,750 in the same period of 1939, the council said.

Traffic deaths for the remainder of the year must be cut one fourth to bring the total down to the 32,600 of 1939, the council reported, adding that this "is impossible."

The December traffic toll, usually the year's worst, zooms upward for three reasons, the council: (1) bad weather and slippery roads; (2) darkness during evening rush hour traffic swollen by Christmas shoppers; and (3) more drinking during the holiday season, plus hurry, confusion and excitement.

October traffic death trends were favorable in 20 or 41 reporting states, but in only the following eight states was the 10-months' total below the like 1939 period Nebraska, 19 per cent less; Arkansas, 16 per cent; Montana and Vermont 11 per cent; Maine, nine per cent; North Carolina and Tennessee, four per cent; and Georgia, one per cent.

The nation-wide death increase during the last two months can be blamed on rural areas, the council said, since cities of 10,000 or more population had a favorable record.

Program To Be Given At School

Tuesday afternoon, December 3, is going to be entertaining and profitable to friends and patrons of Mark Twain school. On this occasion a floor show in which every child in the school is to participate, will be presented in the school auditorium at 2:45 p. m. Music, both orchestral and vocal, dancing and tumbling, will be the features of the program.

As early as 1:30 p. b. patrons may come to the bazaar in the art room, No. 6 on the first flcor. There will be no admission fee for the bazaar, and patrons are invited to come and inspect the many attractive articles such as Mexican charms, nut novelties, lacquered pine cones, etc., made in the art classes under the direction of Miss Marie Larkin; others from sewing activity and miscellaneous contributions.

Many hours of work have been spent by both students and teachers in preparing this bazaar, to which a large patronage is anticipated in this season of Christmas gift selection. The bazaar will remain open until 6:30 p. m. Sandwiches and coffee will be served by the ladies of the Parent-Teacher Association.

"Splinter Fleet" on Way to New Orleans

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 29.—A four-vessel naval squadron—part of the world war "splinter fleet" of wooden sub-chasers—was tied up in the Mississippi river here today but will shove off for New Orleans tomorrow.

The ships are en route from the Great Lakes to the Gulf of Mexico, where they have been assigned to patrol duty.

Guard at Refinery

BATON ROUGE, La., Nov. 29.—State police today placed a 24-hour guard patrol arcund the $100,000,000 refinery here of the Standard Oil Company of Louisiana—one of the world's largest petroleum processing plants and a key defense supply base.

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Fred H. Steffens, Cole Camp, and Gladys Robinson, Lincoln.

Jim Stevens, Sabula, Iowa, and Leota LaVonne Kelley, Clinton, Iowa.

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Frenchman Turns Bike Into "Sedan"



With Paris under a fuel shortage, this Frenchman was faced by the prospect of having to use his bicycle for "rapid transit" during the winter. So he ingeniously transformed it into a closed car" by building canvas-covered shelter on it.

Italy Pinched By Blockade

Food Shortage And Depleted Raw Materials Evident

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—(AP)—The British Mediterranean blockade has been so effective, the agriculture department reported today, that Italy faces the winter deprived of many sorely-needed foodstuffs and agricultural raw materials.

By barring the gates of the Mediterranean at Gibraltar and at Suez, Great Britain has cut off the sources of more than 80 per cent of Italy's imports, the dapratment said.

In a report on "Italian agriculture under Fascism and war," the department, using confidential information said to have been obtained through diplomatic channels, told how Germany's axis partner has resorted to strict rationing in an effort to make available supplies last as long as possible.

"The restrictions on food consumption," the report stated, "are heavy for an agricultural country like Italy, even in time of war." Great numbers of the poorer classes were said to be suffering from malnutrition.

The department said that Italy, upon her entry, apparently expected the war to be of short duration.

"It was only after more than a month of warfare, when the Italian government became less certain of the duration of the conflict, that genuine alarm was felt and more inclusive rationing was adopted."

Pinch In Food Shortages

Not only have Italians felt the pinch of food shortages, but higher prices as well. The report said prices were 40 per cent higher than when Great Britain and France declared war on Germany. At that time, the report said, Italy already was suffering from the effects of four years of conflict in Ethiopia and Spain, from the "uneconomic attempt" to achieve self-sufficiency and from the increasing tempo of rearmament.

The report said that in the period between start of the war and Italy's entry months later, the allied blockade against Germany prevented Italy from replenishing already depleted stocks of vital raw materials.

"It was under this economic burden, with little or no reserves of vital agricultural products, especially of cotton, wool, rubber, cereals, oilseeds and meats, that Italy entered the war on June 19, 1940," the report said.

Foreign Trade Cut Off

Its overseas trade shut off by the blockade, Italy must now rely on sources of supply that may be reached only by land, especially German, Switzerland, the Balkans and northern Europe.

"Thus the lack of fats, oils, heats—the three food products in which Italy is most deficient—may become more serious as the British blockade continues," the report said. "In this case the Italian people may expect much stricter rations and possibly five or six meatless days."

Meat supplies are already so scarce, the report said, that consumption is permitted only on Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays. The sale of fresh pastry and ice cream likewise is limited to three days a week. Coffee drinking by civilians has been prohibited, available supplies having been requisitioned for the armed forces.

The monthly ration per person of olive oil, a major item in the Italian diet, now is one pint. Only three-quarters of a pound of butter, lard or suet a month is allowed each person.

The department said bread is being rationed in restaurants. The bread contains more bran than heretofore. Sugar consumption has been reduced so that a part of the available supply may be converted into sorely-needed industrial alcohol, the report said. Cotton supplies are expected to be exhausted within a few weeks.

The report said that the effects of the food shortage, though not yet serious for the country as a whole, were "very acute" in some sections of southern Italy and the Islands.

School Pupils Visit At Theater

The two seventh grade rooms of Washington school visited the Liberty theater on Friday morning, November 29. The children were divided into groups of fifteen each and were taken through the projecting room. A. C. Dumont, manager of the Liberty, assisted by Earl McMillen and Paul Boul explained the equipment. The children were each given a sample of film and were permitted to see the projection in operation.

At the close of the demonstration Mr. Dumont entertained the visitors with a serial.

The children were taken to the theater by the following parents: Mrs. H. W. Cook, Mrs. W. F. Hamilton, Mrs. J. E. Lawson, and Mrs. E. F. Livengood. The group was also accompanied by Miss Bessie Perkins, Miss Mary Vance, and Edwin Martin.

Gun Merely Misplaced

The gun, owned by Patrolman Lawrence Englund, believed to have been taken from his home recently, was just misplaced, and has been found in the Englund home.

• Obituary

Funeral Of Mrs. Wells

Funeral services for Mrs. Gladys Wells, 49 years old, wife of Arley Wells, will be held at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Green Ridge Presbyterian church. The Reverend Ralph Emerson Hurd the pastor of the Epworth M. E. church, will officiate, assisted by the Reverend Moore, pastor of the Green Ridge church.

Pall bearers will be six nephews: Virgil Herrick, Eugene Herrick, Warren Herrick, Harold Herrick, Jimmie Anderson and Carl Ragar.

Music is in charge of the church quartet of the Green Ridge church.

The body is at the Ewing Funeral Home and will remain there until time for the funeral service.

• Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Bell and daughter, Ellen, Misses Frances and Mildred Fulks, also Joseph Fulks, were Sunday guests at Macon, Mo., of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Lieberman and son, Charles, of Wichita, Kas., arrived Thursday, observed in Kansas as Thanksgiving day, to visit over the week-end with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Sears and daughter, Nelle Ann, of Chicago, formerly of Sedalia, left this morning for their home, after spending a week here. Mr. and Mrs. Sears and daughter had planned to spend one night in Sedalia, as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Barnes, 306 West Sixth street, but Mr. Sears became ill and was not able to leave until this morning.

Speed Desired On Destroyers

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—(AP)—President Roosevelt said today he had referred to the defense commission the problem of speeding up work on new destroyers.

He also told a press conference that consideration was being given to elimination of machine tool bottlenecks.

Relating what took place at a White House conference yesterday with the defense commission, the President said he had referred the destroyers speed up question to William S. Knutson, production chief of the commission.

Mr. Roosevelt said the question did not relate to more destroyers for Britain, but to those ships contracted for last September. He added that the originally-set date for completion of these ships was much too far off.

To a question whether he was satisfied generally with the defense program, the President replied in the affirmative. He indicated some dissatisfaction with some unnamed details, but said that, as for the general situation, he was satisfied.

Asked about the armor plate situation, he said it was in better shape than three months ago and was ahead of schedule.

Self Defense Is Plea In Killing

ROCK PORT, Mo., Nov. 29—(AP)—Frank Benson testified at his second murder trial today that he shot Larry Hayes on May 22, 1934, because "it was either him or me."

The 59-year-old defendant was on the stand for an hour. The case was brought here on a change of venue from Maryville after the supreme court reversed the verdict of a previous jury which sentenced Benson to 25 years.

He told the jury that the night before the shooting he and Hayes had gone to St. Joseph and on the return trip Hayes who had been drinking got in the back seat. Benson was shot in the neck and said Hayes told him a gun with which he was toying went off accidentally.

Later in the night, Benson testified, he went into the room where Hayes was sleeping with Janice Bockleman. Hayes, he said wakened and remarked, "I missed you before but I'll get you this time," reaching for a gun.

Benson said he then picked up a gun from a trunk and fired the fatal shot to save his own life.

Benson was sought for four years after the slaying at a farm near Maryville before he was arrested in Los Angeles in 1938.

Fighting Breaks Out In Rumania

BUDAPEST, Nov. 29—(AP)—Heavy loss of life has resulted from severe fighting in the Rumanian cities of Turmu Severin, Craiova and Brasov where the Iron Guard sought to seize power, reports filtering across the Hungarian border said tonight.

The fighting was said to have resulted from Guardist attempts to take possession of public buildings. All three cities are in the Transylvanian district.

The reports said that in spite of drastic measures taken by Premier General Ion Antonescu following Wednesday's purge of more than 64 of the Iron Guard's political foes there has been no improvement of the situation in Rumania.

Antonescu was reported to have ordered the army to stand by, but the guard was understood to have secret stores of weapons.

President May Use Airplane

Be Resorted To Only In The Case Of An Emergency

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29—President Roosevelt told a surprised press conference today that he might use the ariplane for the first time in eight years if it should become necessary while he was away from Washington to return within 12 hours for some emergency.

He said he was planning a trip next week but ccould not say now where he was going.

Then he added, as newsmen's eyebrows, lifted, that he would return by plane if it was found he was too far away from Washington to come back by rail in 12 hours.

The President emphasized, however, that a plane would be used only in case it was necessary.

There was much amusement in the back-and-forth banter over an old impression among reporters that the secret service would not permit him to fly.

Joining in the laughter, the chief executive said the secret service had never told him not to travel by air. He added, however, with a smile, that the service which guards his movements, had warned him that plane travel for him would be difficult because a whole armada would be needed to take along protecting agents.

He said he had not informed the secret service of his conditional decision to fly, but thought it could be amicably worked out without laying down any rule.

Asked if a presidential flight might conceivably cover the continent, the President replied it might. Asked whether a navy flying boat might be at his disposal on his trip next week, he humorously evaded this one by saying he might use a stratosphere craft.

Although he had flown much in the world war days when he was assistant secretary of the navy, Mr. Roosevelt told reporters what they already knew, that the last time he flew was in 1932 when he travelled from Albany to Chicago to accept his first nomination to the presidency.

The President replied negatively when asked whether his trip next week might wind up in Mexico for the inauguration of President Camacho. Henry A. Wallace, vice president-elect, is representing the President at those ceremonies.

Parents Of A Son

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yancey, of Holden, route 5, are parents of a son, born at the Bothwell hospital, November 28.

Declines After Gain On Stocks

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—(AP)—Stocks tried for recovery in today's market but generally failed to attract real buying power.

Prices for steels, motors, aircrafts, shipbuildings and specialties edged forward fractionally in the forenoon. There was a mild relapse after midday and, at the close, gains were reduced to negligible amounts in many instances or replaced with declines.

Utilities were soft throughout and numerous other issues finished where they left off Thursday. Dealings were about as slow as in the precious session, transfers being around 500,000 shares.

A little buying in the morning was attributed partly to the persistent idea that a technical comeback was due after the lengthy reaction.

Closing of Leading Stocks

	Close Thurs.	Close Fri.
American & For. Power	1	1
American Smelt. & Ref	44¼	44⅝
American Tel. & Tel.	165½	165¾
American Tobacco "B"	70	69¾
Anaconda Copper	26⅞	27
Atchison T & S. F.	18¼	17⅛
Atlas Pow.	74½	74
Aviation Corp.	4¾	4¾
Bethlehem Steel	85½	85¼
Chrysler	75¾	75⅝
Cola Cola	——	104¾
Curtis-Wright	8⅞	8⅞
Curtis-Wright A	27⅝	28
Du Pont De Nem.	154½	154¾
Eastman Kodak	140¾	143¼
General Electric	32⅝	33
General Motors	49	49⅝
Int. Harvester	54½	54⅝
International Shoe	29½	29½
Int. Tel. and Tel.	1⅞	1⅞
Kennecott Copper	34⅜	34¾
Libby, McN and Libby	——	6¾
Ligg & Myers Tob. "B"	95½	95⅝
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RELIGIOUS REMARKABLES

By R. O. BERG



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Tolerance---A Religious Principle

Even those who turn their backs on God, a well-known writer once said, must some day discover their debt to religion.

How true it is that neither "subtlety nor ardour" can give to a war-torn world ideals higher than those preached and practiced by the Sea of Galilee nineteen centuries ago.

Our highest conception of our relations one with another and each with his Creator finds its foundation in Holy Writ. Whatever differences in faith and doctrine exist among Protestants, Jews and Catholics, they stand together in defense of the moral code derived from their common belief in a single all-powerful Divinity.

In this belief there is a broad tolerance, a tolerance that claims for itself no privilege which it denies to its defamers.

Let us never forget that that tolerance is deep-rooted in religious principles and practices.

Go To Church This Sunday

Attend Your Church

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN —R. A. Waggoner, minister; Mrs. G. V. Sneed, music director. Bible school 9:30 a. m. Morning church worship 10:45. Sermon subject, "The Book Behind America." December always brings us National Bible Sunday. The sermons for the day will reflect the need of America and the world for "The Book." In the morning the influence of the Bible in American history will be discussed. Church vesper worship 4:30 p. m. For the remainder of the winter the second worship service of the church will be held at this vesper hour. The sermon meditation subject will be "The Book for the Nations." The young people's choir will lead in ministry of music. A trombone solo will be given by Kenneth Hunt and a violin solo by Annabelle Hugelman. Young people's meeting 5:30.

EAST SEDALIA BAPTIST, Fifth and Summit. Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m., Clyde Waters, general superintendent. Morning services 10:30. Pastor's theme, "For Goodness Sake." Music in charge of the adult choir. Sunday afternoon the finance committee will complete the canvass of the church membership for the 1941 budget. Baptist Training Union 6:30 p. m., Miss Grace Farley, general director. Evening services at 7:30. Pastor's theme, "Where Is God? Can I Find Him?" Music in charge of the young people's choir. Monday, 7:30 p. m. deacons meeting at the church. Wednesday 7:30 p. m. monthly business meeting of the church.

FIRST BAPTIST — Sunday school 9:30 a. m., W. A. Harbaugh, superintendent. Preaching service 10:40. Sermon by the pastor. Subject, "Light Bearers." Anthem by the choir, Mrs. Clyde Williams, organist; Morris Thomas, choir director. Evening service: Baptist Training Union 6:30, Carl Yessen director. Preaching service 7:30, sermon by the pastor. Special music. Wednesday, teachers' and officers' meeting 7:00. Prayer meeting 8:00. Thursday, visitation day for the Sunday school. At 7:30 p. m. they meet at the church for a special program. The Sunday school teachers are supposed to get the list of the absentees who should be visited. Friday, choir rehearsal 7:30. Next week is the week of prayer for foreign missions. It begins at 2:30 every afternoon til Firday. It is all day Friday, beginning at 10:00 with no lunch at noon.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN, Missouri Snyod, Broadway and Massachusetts avenue. Herman H. Heidbreder, pastor. Sunday school at 9:20 a. m. Divine service (German) at 9:30 a. m. Divine service (English) 10:45 a. m. Theme of sermon, "Our Advent Resolution." Divine service at 7:30 p. m.

EPWORTH METHODIST, Broadway at Engineer street. Ralph Hurd, the pastor, Church school at 9:30, Paul Berthouex, general superintendent. Russel H. Robb, song leader in the adult assembly. Morning worship 10:30. Each morning service between now and Christmas, is designed to prepare for the celebration of that event. In the morning, the theme will be, "You Don't Find Room For Christ; You Make Room." League services at 6:30. Evening worship 7:30. At this service the young people are especially held in mind, and the pastor will speak on "Does It Pay?" A youth forum follows. Wednesday evening at 7:30 the combined study class of the Fifth Street church, the First church and the Epworth church will meet at Epworth church for fellowship and study.

TRINITY LUTHERAN, Tenth and Osage. Rev. Paul Luther Miller, pastor. 9:30 a. m. the church school, Elmer Sterling superintendent. 10:45 a. m. the service with sermon by the pastor, "A Lovely Song and a Pleasant Voice." The junior choir meets Thursday at 4:15 at the church.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN, 1608 South Harrison avenue. Earl S. Brummett, minister. "The church going families are happier families." Our Sabbath school meets at 10 a. m. We have classes for every member of the family, with qualified teachers in charge. Andy Berry is superintendent of the Sunday school. Y P C. E meets at 6:30 p. m. International lessons and interesting discussions. Evening worship is at 7:30 p. m. We extend a cordial invitation and a friendly welcome to all these services.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST: Services are held in our church edifice, Sixth street and Lamine avenue. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Sunday morning services at 11:00.

Subject: "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced."

Golden Text: Isaiah 45:22.

Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock. The church maintains a reading room located in the same building, entrance on Sixth street. The Bible and all the writings of Mary Baker Eddy may be read, borrowed or purchased at this room. The public is cordially invited to the services and to enjoy privileges of the reading room.

It is open to the public every afternoon from 2 until 4, except Sundays and holidays, also after the services Wednesday evenings.

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH, Spring Fork. Masses at 8 o'clock on the second and fourth and fifth Sundays. And at 10 on the first and third Sundays and on Holy days. Hours for all Masses advanced one hour during the summer months.

TRINITY LUTHERAN, Tenth and Osage. Rev. Paul Luther Miller, pastor. 9 a. m. Matins, with sermon by the pastor, "Wings for Our Hopes." 9:45 a. m. the church school, Elmer Sterling superintendent. Junior choir meets Thursday at 4:15 p. m.

SACRED HEART PARISH — Rev. A. Brunswick, C PP S., pastor Masses Sunday 6:00, 8:00, 9:15 and 10:30 a. m. Week days 6:15 and 8 a. m. Holy hour, Friday evening at 7:30.

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1. At a football game should one rise when the rival team's alma mater is sung?
2. Should students meeting their instructors on the campus say "Good morning" or "Hello"?
3. Should a student arguing with an instructor over a matter of opinion says, "You're wrong"?
4. Should a student speak to another student who is in one of his classes when he meets him on the campus if the two have never met?
5. Is it a good idea for a man to cut in on a man dancing with a girl if he is considerably shorter than the girl with whom he wishes to dance?

What would you do if—

You are a college girl and a young man asks you to visit his home for a week end—

(a) Go only if you receive an invitation from his mother also?

(b) Consider his invitation enough?

Answers

1. Yes.
2. Good morning.
3. No. He should show respect for the other's position.
4. Yes.
5. Not unless she is a good friend whom he knows is not embarrassed when dancing with a man shorter than she.

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• Sunday School Lesson

Tolerance And Intensity Essential For All Who Would Be Disciples

Text: Luke 9:49-62

By William E. Gilroy D. D. Editor of Advance

Under the title "An Exacting Discipleship," this lesson emphasizes two aspects of sincere and earnest Christian discipleship that have not always been associated in thought or in individual Christian experience. On the contrary, too often they have been regarded as mutually contradictory.

These two aspects of Christian discipleship are tolerance and intensity. If they had both been recognized and practiced, how different the course of the Christian centuries might have been! Is it not also strange how the clearest and most incisive teachings and examples of the New Testament are the things most disregarded in practice?

Jesus emphasizes the lesson of tolerance in a striking incident. Some man, observing the course of Jesus and probably under the influence of his teaching, had been casting out demons in his name. That is all we know about him, but evidently the man was acting sincerely and with efficacy.

But John, always very earnest and intense for his Master and for the rights and privileges of the inner group of disciples, rebuked the man and forbade him because, as he said, "he followeth not us." But Jesus rebuked John in very clear and emphatic words, "Forbid him not, for he that is not against us is for us."

That is the lesson of tolerance. The tolerant Christian cares more for right principles and right action and good results than he does for labels and organizations and for agreement with his own particular expression of religious opinions. He realizes that it is by their fruits that faith and teaching are known, and he is willing to recognize the good that is done even though it may be done by and through those with whom he differs very sharply regarding the points of doctrine, organization or other matters.

Can Christian people be thus tolerant and at the same time be earnest and consecrated in living up to their own convictions? Why not? Here in the lesson Jesus is just as insistent upon the intensity of discipleship. It is enforced in two or three ways.

There is the story of a certain man who came and expressed the purpose to follow Jesus wherever he might go. The reply of Jesus is as impressive as it is sad. "The foxes have holes and the birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man hath not where to lay his head."

The other incident of the man who would follow Jesus, but who said, "Lord, suffer me first to go and bury my father." This is a little more difficult for us to understand. On the surface, and with the bold statement as it stands, our sympathies seem to be with this man who made what appeared to be a reasonable request; but we do not know what was in the background of the incident. The probability is that Jesus sensed in the man some insincerity and that he said this to put him to the test.

There are passages and incidents in Scripture in connection with which we have to construct an imaginative background unless we are to be misled into harsh and unfair interpretations. The compassionate Christ who wept as he entered the home of Mary and Martha where his friend, Lazarus, was dead, could not have been unsympathetic toward a man professing sincere concern about his father.

But one thing does stand out: That Christian discipleship is exacting. It is the supreme commitment of a man's life, and in the real showdown nothing can stand in its way.

Manila PTA Has Program Friday

The Manila Parent-Teacher Association met Friday night, with the president, Mrs. B. E. Hunter in charge of the business sessions. After all sang "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow" and "Love's Old Sweet Song" the following program was given:

Song, by pupils of the four lower grades; song by pupils of the four upper grades; accordion solo, Miss Inez Reed; play, "Turn About is Fair Play," Mrs. B. E. Hunter, Mrs. T. L. Brown, Miss Melba Bell Alderman, Willie Binder and Willis Rieckie.

Refreshments were served.

Attend Your Church

FIRST METHODIST, Fourth and Osage. E. N. Garrett, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 Sunday morning, O. E. Palmer, superintendent; Mrs. H. N. Lambirth, superintendent of beginners department. The primary youngsters will be Mrs. A. L. Walter's department. Mrs. Lee Shannon is the new superintendent of the Junior department. Morning worship begins at 10:30, sermon topic is "The Orderly Method." Special music by the senior choir. The large young people's choir sings in the 7:30 service and the sermon topic is "The Man Who Found Himself." Next Wednesday at 7:30 the Methodist study class at Epworth church.

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED, Fourth and Vermont. Oscar J. Rumpf, pastor. Church school at 9:30. Morning worship 10:45. Topic, "Come and Worship." Senior League pot-luck supper at 6:00.

FIFTH STREET METHODIST, Fifth and Osage. H. U. Campbell, D. D., minister. Mrs. Glen Moser, organist. Choir directors: Church quartet, Burney Morriss; young people's, Miss Dorothy Bockelman. Church school 9:30 a. m., Ben Robinson, general superintendent. Morning worship 10:30. Music by quartet. Sermon by the minister. Subject, "We Cannot But Speak the Things Which We Have Seen and Heard." Intermediate and Senior Leagues 6:30 p. m. Evening service 7:30. The minister preaching on, "The Eighth Commandment" or "Steal not though thou be poor and mean." Music by young people's choir.

FIRST CHRISTIAN — A. W. Kokendoffer, pastor; Mrs. H. O. Foraker, organist, and L. J. Harned Sunday school superintendent. The school meets at 9:30, and morning worship at 10:45. Sermon subject, "To Know God is Life Eternal." Special music, an anthem, "I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked," by O'Hara. Also a solo by Mrs. Jack Howard, and the male quartet composed of Messrs. Danforth, Alexander, Plumlee and Pearson, with violin obligato accompaniment by Prof. W. B. Hert. The young people meet at 7 o'clock. The church board at 2:45.

EAST BROADWAY CHRISTIAN, 1220 East Broadway. Paul Bender, minister. Bible school 9:30. Worship, communion, sermon 10:30. C. E. 6:30. Preaching 7:30.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD, Sixth and Summit. Rev. W. M. Stevens, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m., Carl Bellah, superintendent. Morning worship 11. Sermon by pastor. Young people's service 6:30 p. m., Miss Emily Keele, president. Children's service 6:30. Mrs. Wm. Wells in charge; Miss LaVern Stroup, assistant. Evangelistic service 7:30. Sermon by pastor, subject "If I Should Miss the Rapture (?)" Midweek services Tuesday and Thursday.

FULL GOSPEL, Fifth and Hancock. Rev. Gerald M. Vriezelaar, pastor. Services every Tuesday and Friday evening. Sunday services 9:45 a. m. Sunday school, Emery Elsworth, superintendent. 11:00 worship. Sermon by Rev. Brynt Mitchell. Topic, "Missions." 6:45 poung people's service, Roy Martin, president. 7:30 p. m. evangelistic services.

CALVARY BAPTIST — Rev. J. R Sumner, pastor. Bible school 9:30 a. m., R. W. Towner, superintendent; E. L. Hall, associate. Morning worship 10:45. Pastor's sermon subject, "God's Great Love," John 3:16. Training Union 6:15 p. m., J. R. Durham director; Mrs. B. B. Bradley, associate. Evening worship 7:30. Sermon theme, "Why Be A Christian," Acts 26:28. Regular monthly Sunday school workers conference Monday evening 7:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30, topic, "Paul and the Church," Gal. 2 and Acts 1:11. Regular monthly business meeting of the church Wednesday evening. Choir practice Thursday evening 7:30.

CONGREGATIONAL - PRESBYTERIAN — John M. Vander Meulen, minister; Mrs. W. C. Housel, Sunday school superintendent; Miss Mabel De Witt, organist. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Church services 10:45 a. m. Young people's societies at 6:00 and 8:00 p. m. Program, December 1: Anthem (selected). Solo, "Come Unto Me," Elza Doun sung by Mrs. A. Zernickow. Sermon "Spiritual Rearmament." There will be a meeting of all the women of the church on Tuesday, December 3, at 2:30 p. m., in the Sunday school auditorium. Rev. O. J. Rumpf has been invited as guest speaker.

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• *Serial Story*

Dude College

By Oren Arnold

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YESTERDAY: Ronnie hurries home, lands and reports her experience to her father. He advises her to call the sheriff. Ultimately, she talks to Inspector Sheridan Starr of the Border Patrol. He identifies the five men as aliens, sets out to trap them. Ronnie goes along. Even when they leave the car and Starr rides away, Ronnie follows. She hears Starr order the men to stop, then hears a shot.

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ANDRE MAKES PLANS

CHAPTER V

"WHE-E-EUW!"

Andre Girardeau breathed that, then turned slowly down the arched corridor leading from the Pueblo U. administration building to the libray. He went only a few feet before he halted, though; he felt that, for personal as well as professional reasons, he simply must have another and better look at the Mexican girl.

The bespectacled man was at her left, helping her to walk. With her right arm she handled her one crutch clumsily.

Andre decided her act was none too convincing. But he also decided that any sort of act was unimportant; what really impressed him was the appearance of this girl.

"M-M-M-m-m-m!" Andre gave murmured tribute again, already sensing the pleasure when he should meet this girl.

He saw her perfection of teeth, lips almost too carmine. He noted the way her hair clung to her head in ringlets, swept low and backward.

He saw, too, that her initial touch of haughtiness had faded when the bespectacled man came to escort her from her car; patently, then, this lady responded to masculine attention. Without being seen at least more than casually, he slipped on down the archways and out of her sight.

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HE walked along the shaded avenue toward his hotel. An irrigation canal there made a rippling rivulet, beautiful in reflecting the trees as well as giving them life. At a lovely rustic bridge he paused a moment to study his image in the quieter pool. He smiled at himself; he, Andre Girardeau, should be able to enjoy this assignment, with a beautiful senorita and with Ronica Bailey both as protagonists in his little drama. He wasn't bad looking; not at all.

He adjusted his tie, whistled a little softly, meditatively, and walked on. He reasoned next that he would have to set himself up in some dude ranch nearby to give outward excuse for his presence in and around Pueblo. The idea was distasteful, but he supposed he would have to ride a horse some in the western way, and no doubt listen to tall tales of Indian massacres and such. However, when he should form his contact with the Mexican girl boredom ought surely to vanish.

"If this goes smoothly I can net a quarter million or better and then skip out," he reminded himself. "With that much I can probably take my choice—ha! Maybe—maybe Mexico City itself wouldn't be so bad. As safe there as anywhere."

He knew no particular fear. A conceited man seldom does, because conceit is but exaggerated confidence. Anyway, it was more pleasant to meditate on which of two lovely girls he should choose for permanent companionship. It simply did not occur to him that the Mexican senorita might not care for him.

He purchased a sporty new car during the next hour, and with proper directions drove out a few miles to the expensive Rancho del Sol. There, as a business man from New York, he could be a typical dude guest, loafing the autumn weeks away. It would give him adequate front.

He tried to telephone Ronica and learned that she was not on her father's ranch. He tried the college, with no better results. It ocurred to him then that she would be somewhere on the campus and so he drove back there.

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HEARTY young collegians seemed to be everywhere but he recognized none of them. Some of the co-eds were definitely interesting.

He asked a few if they knew where to find Ronica Bailey. They knew about her, but not where she was.

He kept looking for another glimpse of the Mexican girl, and while he did see several others of obvious Latin heritage, he did not see that particular one. He wished he had heard her name distinctly, somehow, soon, it would be his move to approach her and make himself acquainted, but that would have to be handled with infinite tact, at least so far as public eyes were concerned. It must appear entirely natural, normal.

He did see the bespectacled young professor once, striding across the main campus court with four books on his arm, but was not interested in that gentleman.

When he was back in his car, Andre drove in a filling station to be sure of his fuel supply, and there encountered a youth as talkative as his kind is likely to be, especially out west.

"You hear the news?" the youth asked, between windshield swipes. "About the Pueblo girl?"

"I beg pardon?" Andre was democratic only by effort.

"Yep. College girl from right here at old Pueblo, by George! Plenty of the old nerve, mister, let me tell you! They say she didn't even take a gun out there, but when the right minute come she—Why how-de-do, Miss Montoya!"

A second car had driven up to the pump and Andre found himself instantly deserted. He had paid his bill anyway, and his windshield hadn't really needed cleaning. He glanced out. Something about that name Montoya had caught his interest and—there she was again!

The same girl. First time he had seen her a bespectacled professor had jumped to help her. Now, obviously, she had a filling station lad enslaved.

"Iss so sweet of you, Jimmee," she was saying, musically, "you come so queek to help me."

"Aw, I'm supposed to, ma'am. Anyway, I—well, gee! Say, have you heard the news, Miss Montoya?"

"News, Jimmee?"

"Sure! One of your own Pueblo girls. Gosh, maybe you know her! Her old man's the big airplane builder. Name of Bailey, ma'am."

"I have only coom here wan week myself, you know, Jimmee. But what is it that—?"

"Aw, sure, that's right. Well this Miss Bailey, she was—"

Andre, straining to hear, caught no more of it. A roadster piled high with collegians rolled up honking behind him and through their hilarity someone broke into a college song. All he could do was drive out of their way.

(To Be Continued)

• *This Curious World*

By By William Ferguson





ANSWER: Two.

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Cranium Crackers

Places in the News

Listed below are some place-names which have been in the news in recent weeks. Can you locate each and tell why it was newsworthy?

1. Tangier.
2. Kwangsi.
3. Bucharest, Ploesti and Campina.
4. Libreville.
3. Crete.

Answers on Classified Page

Stamp News

UNITED STATES' 1941 stamp program gets off to an early start with announcement of a new series of airmails and an entirely new set of stamped envelopes. No changes in values nor colors of the stamped envelopes were indicated.

Also suggested for May 22 release is a commemorative marking the 122nd anniversary of the first trans-Atlantic crossing by an American steamship. A picture of the Savannah, which made the historic crossing, has been suggested for the design.

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Suffering of war refugees in Europe adds importance to 1940's Christmas charity issues. Switzerland has announced four new stamps in the annual "For Youth" series. Belgium will issue a semi-postal set picturing Queen Mother Elizabeth and royal children. Denmark's Red Cross item bears a portrait of Queen Alexandrine.

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Turkey forgets the axis invasion of the Balkans to issue four stamps commemorating the 11th Balkan Olympic Games. Athletes in action form the designs.

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Germany's stamp designers follow closely after the Nazi war machine. New German issues for Alsace and Lorraine are expected soon, following expulsion of French from the conquered area.

The parrots, tortoises, reptiles, and birds of prey are found to be the lonegst-lived inmates of the London zoo.

The Diesel gas engine has no spark plugs; the fuel is ignited by heat from high compresison.

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OUT OUR WAY

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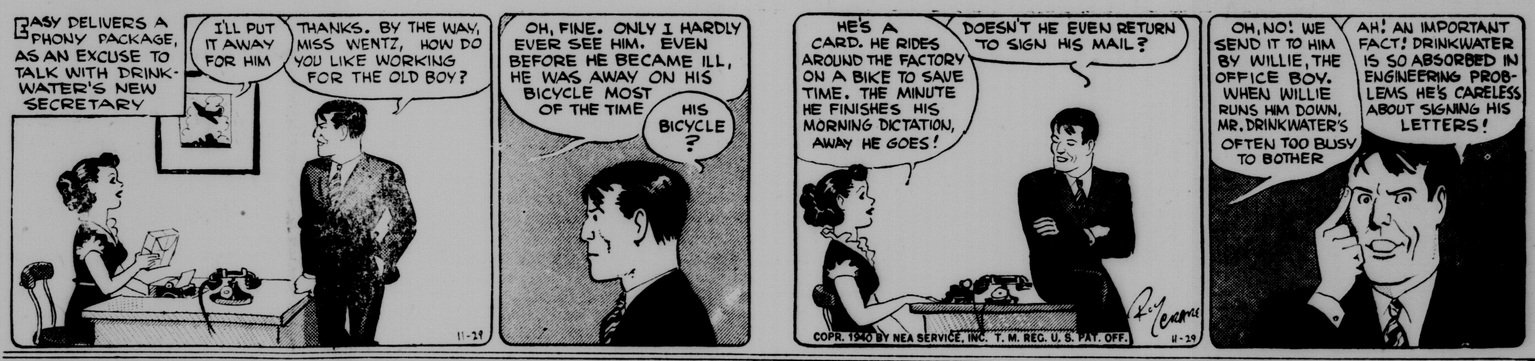
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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

What Goes On?

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Someone Should Tell Her

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Classified Advertising

I—Announcements

2—Cards of Thanks

NECESSARY, CHARLES — We wish to thank our friends, neighbors, and relatives, also Rev. Starkey and Mrs. Olen Monsees for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our husband and father.
Mrs. Charles Necessary and children.

7—Personals

DRIVING to California, Dec. 3rd. Take passengers, share expenses. Write Box "22" care Democrat.

10—Strayed, Lost, Found

FOUND—Gentleman's brown kid glove. Inquire at Democrat, identify and pay for ad.

LOST—Yellow gold heart shaped locket, Sunday afternoon. Phone 3727-W. Reward.

LADIES cork color pig skin gloves, stitched with brown. Return to Democrat. Reward.

LOST or stolen, white collie dog, brown eye. Liberal reward. Call 66-F-5 or notify Mr. Evans, Dresden.

LOST — Female pointer, white with black head, black spot on left side and black spot on rump. Name "Queen." Notify Crown Drug. Reward.

II—Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale

RECONDITIONED— Used cars. Two 1937 Plymouth coach and sedan. 1936 Chevrolet coach. Lots of cars $40 and up. Decker Motor Company. Phone 2255.

III—Business Services

18—Business Services Offered

GUNS REPAIRED — also fishing reels and rods. Dell, 509 E. 4th Street.

CARL GOIST—Authorized radio service 307 So Ohio Phone 206.

EXPERT— Pump repair work. Parts. M. F. Wahrenbrock. Phone 332.

PEABODY RADIO SERVICE—Tubes Sedalia's oldest. 1319 S Osage Phone 854.

RADIO and refrigeration service. Estimates free. Phone942. 116 West Main. Lloyd Meyer. Formerly with Montgomery Ward.

WASHER service our specialty, wringer rolls, and parts for any washer. Free estimates. Burkholder Maytag. Phone 114, 109 So Ohio.

HAVE YOUR old cotton mattress made over into one of those fine spring mattresses, at a very reasonable cost. Feather mattresses made from your feather beds. Bryan-Paulus Awning Company. Phone 131.

IV—Employment

32—Female Help

MIDDLE AGED woman to care for elderly woman. 641 E. 10th.

"HELP THE FAMILY BUDGET" —Sell Maisonette Frocks. Special Christmas Price reductions. Phone 1247 for appointments.

WANTED—Girl or woman for general house work, able to cook. Wages $5.00. Give references. Write Box "U" care Democrat.

33—Help Wanted—Male

TWO neat appearing tire salesmen, experienced. Montgomery Ward and Co.

36—Situations Wanted—Female

WANTED — Position as working companion in Christian home. Phone 1023.

37—Situations Wanted—Male

COLORED MAN, married, age 26, wants maintenance work. Best of references. Write Box "5" care Democrat.

V—Financial

40—Money to Loan—Mortgages

LOANS—Farm—City 4½% to 5% Save 25% on your insurance W. D. Smith 307 Trust Bldg.

VII—Live Stock

47—Dogs, Cats, Other Pets

40 RABBITS, cages, sell immediately. Ebonys-Albinos. 718 E. 3rd.

SIX— Beautiful little Cocker Spaniel puppies. Best bloodlines. 1806 W. Broadway. Phone 1517.

48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

5 YEAR old Guernsey-Jersey cow. S. G. Whiprecht. Phone 1357-W.

THREE registered Hereford bull calves. Two ready for service. A. O. Bumpas, Route 4, Windsor, Mo.

DEAD ANIMALS REMOVED FREE—Horses, cattle and hogs if not skinned or decomposed. We pay telephone charges. Phone Sedalia 3033.

DEAD—Horses and cows removed free within 3 hours. We pay phone calls. Cohen. Phone 1900.

49—Poultry and Supplies

PRIME—Oven dressed turkeys, direct from farm, delivered. Phone 22-F-21.

VIII—Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale

FOR SALE—Good used hot water furnace. Cohen.

GIFTS FOR EVERYONE — Use our easy pay plan. Lay-a-way a gift now! No handling charge. Firestone, 112 E. 3rd St.

VISIT OUR GIFT DEPARTMENT —Toasters, waffle irons, Silex coffee makers. Terms. Burkholder Maytag, 109 Ohio. Phone 114.

STOVES—Ranges, stove supplies, roofing, glass, kitchen ware, pipe fittings. Cash Hardware and Paint Company.

REMINGTON—Dual Head Razor, like new, $10.00. Circulating gas heating stove, $15.00. Electric refrigerator, $30.00. Phone 352.

GUNS— Ammunition, hunting coats, pants, boots. We trade for good used guns. Largest stock, lowest prices. Cash Hardware and Paint Company.

56—Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers

WINDSOR LUMP coal, and block wood. Phone 177.

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COAL — Windsor Deep Shaft, Clinton Lump, and kindling. Phone 3684.

57—Good Things to Eat

APPLES—Fresh fish. Home Market, 208 W. 2nd.

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57-A—Fruits and Vegetables

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59—Household Goods

NEW electric refrigerators, $4.00 down, pay $2.75 monthly, starting March 1st. Montgomery Ward and Co.

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66—Wanted—To Buy

RABBITS— Hides, Furs, ship pelts, feathers ,wool and all kinds of junk. M and M Hide, Wool Co., 301 W. Main. Phone 59.

WANTED—Fresh killed rabbits, hides, wool, feathers, pelts, all kinds dressed poultry. We buy and sell furniture, stoves, shoes, tools. Clarence Dow.

IX—Rooms and Board

68—Room Without Board

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69—Rooms For Housekeeping

ONE furnished light housekeeping room. Well heated. 416 W. 5th.

X Real Estate For Rent

74—Apartments and Flats

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3 UNFURNISHED room apartment. 1502 S. Ohio.

X Real Estate For Rent

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74—Apartments And Flats

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FOR RENT— 3-room furnished apartment. 615 W. 7th.

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DEL REY five rooms, modern furnished. Phone 1378 or 689.

NICE— Downstairs two-room apartments, unfurnished. 601 E 14th.

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75—Business Places For Rent

CAFE—116 E. 2nd. Inquire Decker Motor Co., Phone 2255.

77—Houses For Rent

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XI Real Estate For Sale

82—Business Property For Sale

SHOE REPAIR—Business, complete machinery. Bargain. C & S Sales, 119 Ohio.

COZY lunch and confectionery. Living quarters. 807 West Main Street.

83—Farms and Land for Sale

RICH ninety acres near Sedalia, terms. Box "99" care Democrat.

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84—Houses for Sale

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Cattle and Grain Market

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 13,000; fairly active trade on barrows and gilts; mostly steady with Thursday's average; spots around 5 to 10 cents lower; top $6.10; bulk good and choice 210 to 320 pound butchers $6.05 to $6.10; most 170 to 200 pound lights $5.75 to $6.00; packing sows generally 10 to 15 cents lower; bulk good 330 to 500 pound kind $5.25 to $5.65.

Cattle 2,500; calves 500; run fat cattle increased by approximately 60 loads International Show rejects; these turning at $13.50 to $14.50 with several loads $14.75 to $15.15; fed heifers slow; less active than Thursday; very lively market on cows however, strong at week's sharp advance; cutters and common beef cows selling mostly at $5.25 to $6.25; bulls about steady at $7.35; vealers steady to weak; early top $11.50; but mostly $11.00 down. Stock cattle moderately active; demand centering on lower grades.

Sheep 6,000; early trade active, mostly steady bulk good to choice fed western lambs $9.50 to $9.65; early top $9.65; load weighty Colorados $9.25; strictly choice shorn lambs $8.40; some less desirable $8.25; three loads good to choice fed yearlings $8.40; odd lots native fat ewes up to $4.50.

St. Louis Live Stock

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Nov. 29.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 12,000; mostly 10 to 15 cents lower; top $6.05 very sparingly; bulk good and choice 200 to 300 pounds $6.00; 160 to 190 pounds $5.50 to $6.00; 140 to 160 pounds $5.00 to $5.65; 100 to 140 popnds $4.00 to $5.15; good sows $5.35 to $5.90.

Cattle 1,500; calves 1,000; supply very light; not enough steers on sale to make a market; vealers 50 cents lower, top $11.50; other classes strong in active trade; heifers and mixed yearlings, mostly medium fleshed sorts, $7.25 to $9.25; beef cows $5.50 to $6.50; canners and cutters $4.50 to $5.25; top sausage bulls $6.75; nominal range slaughter steers $6.50 to $13.75; slaughter heifers $6.00 to $12.25; stocker and feed steers $5.75 to $10.50.

Sheep 1,500; receipts include two decks of clipped lambs, one deck yearlings; market opened steady; good to choice native lambs to packers $9.00 to $9.25; two decks to small killers $9.50; throwouts down to $6.00; a few good to choice fall clipped lambs $8.75.

Kansas City Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 29.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 2,300; slow, unevenly 15 to 25 cents lower; mostly 20 cents under Thursday's average; no shippers; bulk good to choice 180 pounds and over $5.65 to $5.75; early top $5.75; some held higher; few 140 to 160 pounds $5.00 to $5.50; packing sows 15 to 25 cents lower; bulk $4.35 to $5.60; few $5.75; stock pigs and feeder hogs 25 cents lower.

Cattle 300; calves 150; killing classes fully steady; stockers and feeders unchanged with a fair week-end clearance; no beef steers or yearlings of consequence offered; supply killing cattle consisting mostly of odd lots she stock; common to medium cows $5.75 to $6.50; canners and cutters $4.25 to $5.50; odd head choice vealers up to $11.00; majority $10.00 down.

Sheep 3,500; opening sales lambs 15 to 25 cents lower; yearlings weak; odd lots sheep about steady; top fed lambs $9.25; early sales natives downward from $9.00; short yearlings $6.85.

Wheat And Corn Both In Decline

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—(AP)—After trying for most of the session to extend its recent recovery trend, the wheat market was forced to retreat today due to lack of sufficient support from milling and baking trade buyers as well as commercial and professional dealers and speculators.

Wheat closed ¼ to ¾ cent lower than yesterday, Dec. 88⅝c to 88¾c, May 86⅝c to 86¾c; corn ¼ to ⅝ cent down, Dec. 63⅜c; May 61⅞c to 62c; oats ⅜ cent lower to ¼ cent higher.

Chicago Grain Table

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—(AP)—

	High	Low	Close Fri.	Close Thurs.
WHEAT—				
Dec	.89¼	.88⅝	.88⅝	.89¼
May	.87⅝	.86⅝	.86⅝	.87
July	.83½	.82⅝	.82¾	.83
CORN—				
Dec	.63⅞	.63⅜	.63⅜	.63⅝
May	.62½	.61¾	.61⅞	.62⅜
July	.62⅜	.61½	.61¾	.62¼
OATS—				
Dec	.33⅝	.33¼	.33½	.33¼
May	.37⅛	.36⅞	.36⅝	.37
July	.33¼	.32⅞	.33	.33
SOYBEANS—				
Dec	$1.00½	.99⅛	.99⅝	.99⅜
May	.97¾	.96¼	.96⅝	.97⅜
July	.96	.94⅜	.94½	.95½
RYE—				
Dec	.44⅞	.43⅞	.43⅞	.44¼
May	.49¼	.48½	.48½	.48⅝
July	.50¼	.49½	.49½	.50

Kansas City Cash Grain

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 29.—(AP)—Wheat: 14 cars, ¾ cent lower to ½ cent higher. No. 2 dark hard, nominally 83¼c to 87c; No. 3, nominally 82¼c to 85½c; No. 2 hard 83½c; No. 3, nominally 82¼c to 85½c; No. 2 red, nominally 83¼c to 86½c; No. 3, nominally 82¼c to 85c.

Close: Dec. 82c; May 81c; July 77c.

Corn: 9 cars, ¼ to ½ cent lower. No. 2 white, nominally 63¼c to 64c; No. 3, nominally 61¼c to 63½c; No. 2 yellow 61½c; No. 3, nominally 59¼c to 61c; No. 2 mixed, nominally 60¼c to 61½c; No. 3, nominally 58¾c to 60½c.

Close: Dec. 58⅞c; May 58c; July 57¾c.

Oats: 1 car; unchanged to ½ cent higher. No. 2 white, nominal 37¾c to 38¼c; No. 3, nominal 37¼c to 38¼c.

Milo maize, nominally 85c to 91c.

Kafir, nominally 85c to 90c.

Rye, nominally 51c to 52c.

Barley, nominally 44c to 53c.

St. Louis Grain Market

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 29.—(AP)—Cash: Wheat: Receipts 8 cars, sold 2 cars, ½ cent higher to ½ cent lower; No. 2 light garlicky 93½c; No. 2 red garlicky 91½c.

Corn: Receipts 20 cars, sold 12 cars, ¼ to 1 cent lower; No. 2 yellow 66c; No. 3, 63½c to 65½c; No. 4, 62½c; sample grade 61½c to 63½c; No. 4 white 66c to 66¾c; No. 4 mixed 60c to 65c.

Oats: Receipts 1 car, sold 1 car, steady, sample grade white 36½c.

Chicago Poultry

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—(AP)—Poultry live, 33 trucks; springs firmer, hens easier; hens, over 5 pounds 14½c; springs, 4 pounds up, colored 15c; Plymouth Rock 16c; White Rock 17c; under 4 pounds, colored 15c; Plymouth Rock 16½c; White Rock 17c; geese, over 12 pounds 11½c. Other prices unchanged.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—(AP)—Butter: Receipts 454,700; steady; creamery 90 score 33c; 90 score centralized carlots 33c to 33¼c; other prices unchanged.

Eggs: Receipts 3,738; firm; fresh graded extra firsts 31½c; firsts 29½c; current receipts 25c; refrigerator extras 21¾c; refrigerator standards 21½c; other prices unchanged.

Kansas City Produce

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 29.—(AP)—Eggs 28c; current receipts 25½c. Others unchanged.

St. Louis Produce

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 29.—(AP)—Eggs: try: Broilers (2 pounds and under) White Rocks 17c; Plymouth Rocks 16c.

Other produce unchanged.

NOTICE OF SALE OF JAIL BONDS

By virtue of a bond election held in Morgan County, Missouri, the County Treasurer of Morgan County, Missouri, hereby has to offer a bond issue of $15,000.00 to erect a jail under the direction of the County Court of Morgan County, Missouri. Notice is hereby given that the County Court of Morgan County, Missouri will accept sealed proposals under Section 2911 (R. S. 1929) for the sale of the aforesaid bonds to the highest bidder according to the sealed proposals which will be opened by the County Court at Versailles, Missouri on the 6th day of January, 1941 at 10:00 A. M. The said sealed bids to be accompanied by a bank draft of $150.00 and stating the amount of interest that will be bid by any prospective bidder. Said $150.00 draft made payable to Morgan County and to be cashed if the successful bidder refuses to comply with his bid. The County Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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1932 Chevrolet Coupe, look at this one	125
1930 Durant Coupe, runs like new	75

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Answers to Cranium Crackers

Questions on Comic Page

1. Spain seized Tangier, Moroccan seaport in extreme northwest Africa which overlooks the entrance to the Mediterranean from Kwangsi, south China pro-Gibraltar. Tangier was formerly internationalized.

2. Japanese forces withdrew from Kwngsi, south China province, indicating the tide may have turned in the Sino-Japanese conflict.

3. Bucharest, Ploesti and Campina are important Rumanian cities severely damaged by an earthquake in mid-November.

4. Libreville, an important port in the French West African colony of Gabon, was taken by the "free French" forces of General Charles de Gaulle.

5. The island of Crete was occupied by British forces in the early days of the struggle between Italy and Greece. Lying at the mouth of the Aegean Sea, it has a great strategic value.

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Sedalia Greeks Extend Aid To Countrymen

Fund To Help The Homeless, Sick And Wounded

There are ten Greek families in Sedalia who are not subject to the military call to arms that some of their European relatives are today answering, but who are nonetheless loyally interested in the war between Italy and Greece. In fact, they are so interested that they rallied together this week and contributed an unsolicited $64.50 to aid their countrymen in this crucial conflict.

The Sedalia Greece-born families had never formed even an informal organization here, but under the stress of the war, G. H. Kostelas undertook to contact all of them and see if they could not send a contribution. Here is the way it happened.

Forming Bureaus

G. H. Kostelas subscribes to a Greecian newspaper, as do many of the other Greeks. Recently a Greek War Relief Association has been organized in New York with a purpose of soliciting money from American Greeks to aid the wartime burden abroad. Many representatives of this organization have been contacting people in larger cities and forming bureaus for accomplishing the task but a Sedalia organization had not yet been formed.

Mr. Kostelas thought it was his duty to see all of the Sedalians and compile their contributions to help as much as they could. Accordingly, he made a list of the ten Greek families and contacted them with enough success to collect $64.50, which is now on its way to the New York office.

Contributing List

The contributing list, which includes donations from $25 to $2, is made up of the following names: George Berbatis, D. A. Grammar, Pete Drenas, James Kostelas, James K. Giokaris, George Giokaris, Gust Kivrizis, Tom N. Soter, Mrs. Dan Giokaris family and George H. Kostelas. The money is not to be used for buying any munitions, planes, or fighting equipment; it is to be used solely to help the homeless, provide medical attention for the sick and wounded, and to feed the hungry victims of war.

Several of the names on the list are well known family names that have been associated with businesses in Sedalia for more than fifty years. G. H. Kostelas himself came to America first in 1906, as a sixteen year old boy, to join his father who was living in Joplin.

Visits Native Home

He returned to his home at Tripolis for a visit in 1919 but a year later came back to the United States to settle in Sedalia where he has been ever since.

At the present time, he has three brothers-in-law and his sister's five sons, who are taking an active part in the front lines. When querried about the future possibilities of the Greek forces, George quickly asserted that the Greeks would blow the Italians clear out of the Mediterranean Sea if they only had a few American made fighting planes.

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MENTHOLATUM Gives COMFORT Daily

Donnell Names Plan Group

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 29—(AP)—Governor-elect Forrest Donnell has named a bi-partisan committee of Missouri legislators to "lay the groundwork for streamlining the state government—fulfilling one of his major campaign pledges.

Senator George A. Rozier of Perryville, Republican, is chairman of the 16-man board of strategy which includes such veteran Democratic senators as Michael Kinney of St. Louis and Phil M. Donnelly of Lebanon.

Another "big name" Democrat is Senator Allen McReynolds of Carthage, the runner-up in his party's gubernatorial primary last August.

Donnell, who announced the committee roster late yesterday, said he would call a meeting shortly and submit his suggestions for reorganization of certain bureaus and departments.

One of his proposals, he asserted would be consolidation into one department of the various tax assessing and collecting agencies of the state. The committee's findings will be submitted to the sixty-first general assembly next January.

Half the members are from the house, half from the senate, and there is a like split bewteen Republicans and Democrats. The roll call:

Senators: Republicans, Rozier Ray Mabee, Unionville; D. Raymond Carter, Seymour, and C. A. McColl, Westboro. Democrats, Kinney, Donnelly, McReynolds and Bernard L. Glover, Kansas City.

Representatives: Republicans, Howard Elliott, St. Louis county; O. B. Whitaker, Weaubleau; William Barton, Jonesburg and Frank Lowry, Cape Girardeau. Democrats, William B. Weakley, Clarksville; Morris E. Osburn, Shelbyville; Edmond R. Caldwell, Perry and Robert L. Ewing, Nevada.

Liabilities Of Risk Company

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 29.—Liabilities of Central States Life Insurance Company, a report filed in circuit court by the state insurance department shows, exceeded admitted assets by $4,514,707.

The examination appraisal on the St. Louis company, which admitted insolvency last Tuesday and was taken over by Ray B. Lucas, superintendent of the Missouri insurance department, lists liabilities at $16,866,073 and assets at $12,351,365.

Additional assets shown on the company's books but not admitted by the state totaled $6,132,530. This was due largely to real estate depreciation, Lucas said.

It also was disclosed yesterday that the company has declared no dividends in the last 10 years, aldividends of $683 were paid between 1915 and 1930. Central States, organized in 1910, has about $65,000,000 worth of insurance in 10 states.

Mission Society To Meet

The Junior Missionary Society of the Epworth Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. A. Green Saturday morning. Cars will be at the church at 9 a. m. to convey members there for the gathering.

Held For Questioning

"Buddy" Mathews and Henry Jones, picked up for investigation, are being held in the city jail pending questioning by Chief of Police Harry "Zone" Anderson.

Wall Street's 'Boy Wonder' Kills Himself

Find J. L. Livermore Shot To Death Late Thursday Afternoon

NEW YORK, Nov. 29—(AP)—Jesse L. Livermore, 62, the one-time "boy wonder" of Wall Street who parlayed $10 up to $10,000,000 and then went bankrupt four times, was found shot to death late Thursday in the Sherry-Netherland hotel and police said he had killed himself.

His body was found in a cloakroom on the first floor of the fashionable hotel facing Central Park.

He had been shot behind the right ear by a .32-caliber revolver.

Livermore lost his fourth successive fortune about six years ago. Early in 1939 it was reported he was making another comeback, but nothing developed.

Started At 16

Livermore first witnessed stock speculation at the age of 16 when, newly arrived from a farm at West Acton, Mass., he went to work as an office boy in a Boston brokerage house.

Bucketshops prevailed in those days—places where stocks could be played like horses, on bets of $2 and up. Livermore played them and won a capital of $2,500 by the time he was 25.

In 1903, he came to New York and again headed for the bucketshops. Those he didn't ruin were wiped out later by law.

His first fortune was made in 1905 when he went "long" on Anaconda Copper when it boomed. He ran his luck to $3,000,000 and then went "short" at just the right moment in the 1907 panic.

In 1915 he lost his wealth in the war-time markets. His debts were enormous, but two years later he announced:

"Gentlemen, I have paid them. All of them. A hundred cents on the dollar. Have paid for my mistakes, too, and one of them cost me $2,000,000."

Makes New Fortunes

He came back, however, making new fortunes in Cotton, in steel, in wheat, in almost anything.

But he lost them again—in 1924, 1929 and 1934.

Known in Wall Street as a lone player, and by nature reticent, he soon was surrounded by legend.

He was said to have been a prodigious spender. Once he hired a special train to take him from Palm Beach, Fla., to Jacksonville—because he was unable to get a lower berth on the regular train.

In the days of his meteoric operations in Chicago grain, he was said to have handed out frequent tips of $100 to board boys.

Probably the last big spending he did, however, was in 1937 when he paid more than $800,000 in back taxes to the federal and New York state governments.

Goes To Court

About a month later, he went to court to resist payment of a $450 doctor's bill for his son, Jesse, Jr., the ward of his second wife, Mrs. Dorothea F. Longcope. Livermore said his third wife paid most of his bills, that his son, then 17, had an annual income of about $1,800 and that under a 1931 separation agreement Mrs Longcope "should have about $12,000 or $13,000 a year," out of which to pay their expenses.

During the trial, Livermore, being questioned about his income and expenses, denied he had made $5,000,000 on a single deal, but added "I can't remember back 20 years or so."

The suit, brought for medical services necessitated by the accidental shooting of young Livermore by his mother, in Santa Barbara, Calif., on Thanksgiving Day, 1935, was settled for $400.

The youth and his mother agreed to pay $300, but it was not known who paid the other $100.

Evangelists Be At Full Gospel Church

Rev. and Mrs. Bryant Mitchell Dean, missionary evangelists, will deliver a message Sunday night at the Full Gospel Church in Sedalia on their missionary work in Sumatra and will show pictures taken during their 15,000 mile travel through the mission fields there.

There will be no admission charge.

Jury Takes Rap At Liquor Conditions

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 29.—(AP)—Describing liquor conditions in St. Louis as "intolerable" and "a disgrace to the city," a grand jury declared today in a report to Circuit Judge Ernest F. Oakley that the primary cause was "the gross maladministration of the St. Louis excise commissioner's office during the past few years."

Lawrence McDaniel was excise commissioner from April, 1937, until he resigned September 1, 1940, after receiving the Democratic nomination for governor in the August primary. He was defeated in the election by Forrest C Donnell, the Republican nominee.

Sled Collision Is Fatal To Boy Eleven

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 29.—(AP)—John Zorich, Jr., 11, died in a hospital this morning, victim of a head-on sled collision.

He was injured in suburban Sugar Creek Wednesday night. His sled collided with one which three other youngsters were sliding down on opposite hill.

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German Guns Rock Dover Coast Area With Their Fire

Air Raiders Of Nazis Broken Up By British Guns

LONDON, Nov. 28—(AP)—Britain lost more planes in today's air battles over England than the Germans, the air ministry announced tonight. The score was five German bombers and six British fighters downed.

LONDON, Nov. 28—(AP)—The day shift of the German air force—several formations of fighters and bombers—was reported scattered by Britain's Spitfire defenders and anti-aircraft guns today after another night of give-and-take bombardment.

Machine gun fire was heard over southeast coastal villages, said Exchange Telegram, a British news agency, as fighter patrols broke up the formations of daylight attackers.

The night had brought renewed bombing of London, a southwest English town which London censorship left nameless (but which informed German sources identified as the port of Plymouth) and scattered points reaching as far as southeast Scotland.

On the British side of the ledger "a heavy and successful" night bombardment of Cologne was claimed, while LeHavre and Boulogne, France, and Antwerp, Belgium, on the invasion coast of the continent, also were said to have been bombed.

As if to support Nazi daylight attackers, German long range guns rocked the Dover coast area, their fire directed by a "spotter" plane which British anti-aircraft gunners tried to strike down. Shells fell at frequent, regular intervals for more than an hour and a half and the fire was returned by British artillery.

One raider plane was reported to have turned back toward the French coast with smoke pouring from it. A crippled plane was believed to have jettisoned two heavy bombs which fell in the sea off a southeast coast town.

Few Through Defenses

A few of the invaders got through the British defenses to London but one was brought down by fighting planes near Croydon, on the London outskirts.

A joint communique of the air and home security ministries said the night's casualties in Britain were few and damage "not extensive."

Unofficially, however, 11 persons, including six children, were reported killed in a village near the southwest town attacked by the German night fliers.

It was claimed unofficially that the southwest town had "barely any scars." And only two minor casualties.

Between 150 and 200 German planes participated in that raid, it was estimated.

German and Italian planes were reported near East Anglia this morning.

Several small groups of raiders crossed the Kentish coast at great height. Anti-aircraft fire broke up their formations but they headed inland towards the northwest.

Two Cruisers Damaged

ROME, Nov. 28—(AP)—Two British cruisers in a large naval force were damaged by shells of Italian warships in a naval battle south of Sardinia yesterday, the Italian high command reported today.

The high command said the Italian destroyer Lanciere, 1,620-ton vessel was seriously damaged.

It reported that Italian air bombs later hit an aircraft carrier, a battleship and a cruiser, starting a fire on the battleship, as the British fleet steamed rapidly away toward the southeast.

(A British admiralty communique yesterday said the British encountered two Italian battleships, accompanied by a "large force" of cruisers and destroyers, and engaged them at extreme range as the Italian vessels "retired at high speed." It added no information was available immediately on the outcome of the brush.)

In describing the naval battle, the high command said:

"Yesterday afternoon naval formations of ours cruising south of Sardinia came in contact with an English squadron coming from the west, composed of several battleships, an aircraft carrier and numerous cruisers.

"Engaged in combat, our ships hit and damaged for certain a cruiser of the Kent type and a cruiser of the Birmingham type.

(The Kent class has five vessels of 10,000 tons each, the Berwick, Cornwall, Cumberland, Kent and Suffolk.

(The cruiser Birmingham is listed by the British as one of eight ships of the Southampton class. Five of them, the Southampton, Newcastle, Sheffield, Birmingham and Glasgow, displace 9,100 tons; three of them, the Gloucester, Liverpool and Manchester, displace 9,400 tons.)

Never Disturbed Over Frequent Ringing of 'Phone

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 28.—(AP)—There's one "girl" here who never worries bout the telephone ringing regularly.

She is Miss Audichron, a robot lady, who has answered 22,000,000 telephone calls since January 13, 1939, mechanically telling the correct time.

Counter Thrust From Greeks Is Progressing

Surrender By 400 Fascists To Small Group Of Greeks

ATHENS, Nov. 28.—(AP)—Greek reports from the front indicated tonight that the Italians were in full flight up the Albanian coast after a stubborn 4-day stand in the southwestern sector by a Fascist "regiment of death."

These picked troops had taken an oath to die rather than retreat, Greek advices said. However, they declared the Greek victory in this sector appears to have been greater than was at first believed, and now the Italians along the coast all are reported in retreat.

In general the Greek counter-invasion of Albina was reported unofficially to be progressing in all sectors.

ATHENS, Nov. 28—(AP)—The Greek counter-invasion of Italian-held Albania still is progressing in all sectors, according to unofficial reports today from the battle lines but official circles maintained reserve.

Dispatches picture the Greeks as constantly hammering the Italians, forcing wholesale surrender by Fascist troops in some cases and retreat in others and the shattering—with British help in the air—of all Italian attempts to reorganize.

(The Italian high command, which has acknowledged some reverses in the Greek campaign, declared today that troops of the 11th army had successfully counter-attacked.)

Seven Dead In Warehouse Blast

YAKIMA, Wash., Nov. 29—(AP)—A death dealing explosion followed by fire ripped a large warehouse asunder at Toppenish, Wash., Thursday, killing at least 7 persons and left an untold number of others buried beneath the ruins of five shops in the plant.

The blast was believed caused by gas which had collected in the warehouse basement or by dynamite which had been stored there.

The dead were identified tentatively as:

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Cline, operator of a merchandise store.

Patrick R. Oldfield.

Vernon Ramsdell.

Bill Duncan.

Two other bodies, one headless, were taken from the ruins.

About 12 persons were injured; six were taken to hospitals in serious condition.

Check British Funds In U. S.

Action Is Delayed On Aid Requests Until January

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—(AP)—The senate banking committe, it was learned today, is seeking to establish the exact extent of Britain's remaining financial reserves in the United States—data considered essential to any congressional discussion of loans or credits to the empire.

Chairman Wagner (D-NY) disclosed that this was one of the major questions which the committee hopes to answer by a broad monetary and fiscal investigation authorized by the senate more than a year ago.

"The investigation also probably will include a study of how Germany, England and other nations are financing their costly war outlays and avoiding inflation," he said in an interview. "It may develop that we will need legislation to control any tendency toward inflation."

A growing congressional dispute over giving Britain the financial aid now prohibited by law has produced a secondary argument as to what funds and resources Britain still has left in the United States for purchases of munitions, airplanes, ships and other supplies.

The senate foreign relations committee yesterday delayed action upon British aid requests until January and Chairman George (D-Ga) said that an evaluation of British resources and purchases was pertinent to any future congressional action.

Several high administration officials have estimated that Britain's remaining financial reserves were equal to at least another year of heavy war supply purchases. British spokesmen, however, recently have been sayink that their financial problem would become acute in 1941.

Report Thefts From Autos

Two traveling men's cars were broken into sometime Wednesday night by thieves who took merchandise valued at more than $200. The automobiles, the reports to police show, were broken into by prying open the small glass ventilating windows on the front doors.

Terry Goesling, representative of the Manhattan Shirt company, traveling out of Chicago, reported his car was parked near Fourth street and Lamine avenue.

From his car were taken the following: One case of three dozen shirts, valued at more than $50; one case of pajamas, about forty, also valued at more than $50; one case of sweaters valued at $35, a case of sample cards with no valuation placed on it.

Henry C. Stolle, St. Louis, representing the Ely-Walker company, reported eight rugs stolen from his car, seven were size 27 x 54 and one 27 x 45.

Service Unit Of Land Bank Here

A service unit of the Federal Land Bank will be opened in Sedalia, March 1, under the supervision of H. L. Shirley, of Bunceton. It will be on the third floor of the Ilgenfritz building, and will service four counties, Pettis, Moniteau, Morgan and Cooper.

Charles Danforth, former Pettis countian, more recently of St. Louis, will be in charge of the office at Harrisonville, which will service three counties, Jackson, Cass and Johnson.

They Don't Mind Cold Weather



Above, left to right: Fred Staley, Jackie Tindle and John Estes hurry to classes at Jefferson school just before the last bell. Fred is an optimist about snow and carries his sled, "just in case."

Below, David Knox was a little surprised to find a photographer waiting to take his picture as he arrived at the school yard at Jefferson school yesterday morning.

Dying Alaskan Entombs Body In Ice To Save It From Wolves

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Nov. 28.—(AP)—Out of the frozen Yukon today came the uncanny story of an aged Alaskan sourdough who, dying in the wilderness, was believed to have deliberately entombed his body in ice to save it from the wolves.

Encased in solid ice, the body of 84 year old Edwin A. Robertson was found by a searching party in a glacial stream where a little trickle of water still flowed over the ice.

His rifle, the tracks of wolves and a tiny heap of sticks with which he had tried vainly to build a fire were found beside the stream.

Robertson, a Maine man who had spent most of his life in the wilds of interior Alaska, lived in a lonely cabin on Seventy Mile river. On November 14, he set out for Eagle, near the Alaska-Yukon territory border and less than 100 miles below the Arctic circle.

The weather was bitterly cold, the route untravelled and without shelter and the country infested with packs of wolves.

As United States Commissioner R. E. Steel reconstructed Robertson's end, darkness overtook the old timer on the trail and he tried to camp for the night beside the stream. But when he was unable to light a fire, death from freezing was swiftly approached.

The commissioner believed the howling wolves and the centainty of death then impelled the Alaskan pioneer to take the steps which cheated the wolves.

From the position in which the body was found yesterday with parka fulled over his head and his arms folded, Steel was convinced that Robertson had purposely lain in the stream, with the freezing water trickling over him, to make sure the wolves would not get his body.

U. S. Embassy Is Stormed By Mexican Crowd

Demonstration As Wallace Arrives At Mexico City

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 29—(AP)—A crowd of some 200 Mexicans, shouting "Viva Almazan — Down With Wallace!" tried to storm the outer doors of the United States embassy last night and then scattered before the tear gas guns of motorcycle policemen just as Henry A. Wallace, vice president of the United States, arrived in the capital on an official visit.

The military and naval attaches of the embassy, Col. Gordon McCoy and Commander Wallace Dillon, reported they were cuffed about by the milling crowd but required no treatment for injuries.

No attempt was made to molest Wallace, who is here for the inauguration next Sunday of Mexico's president-elect, Manuel Avila Camacho, administration candidate who defeated General Juan Andreau Almazan last July 7.

Motorcycles Disperse Crowd

However, it finally took the motorcycle escort which had brought Wallace here from Zimapan, to break up the demonstration.

Donnell Lead Was 3,613

Canvass Results Are Released By State Secretary

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 29—(AP)—Forrest C. Donnell was elected Missouri's governor by a margin of 3,613 votes, the secretary of state's canvass of the November 5 official returns showed late Thursday.

The tabulation gave Donnell, a Republican, 911,530, and Lawrence E. McDaniel, his Democratic opponent, 907,917 votes in the state's closest gubernatorial contest since Frederick Gardner won by less than 3000 votes in 1916.

Secretary of State Dwight Brown emphasized, however, that his was not the official canvass. That will be made by the legislature in January. The assembly usually accepts the secretary of state's figures, however, unless they are contested.

'Thorough Investigation'

The Democratic state committee is making a "thorough investigation" of the voting before deciding whether Donnell's victory will be challenged.

Stansel DeFoe To Annapolis

Stansel De Foe, son of Mrs. G. W. McKelvey, 1900 South Summit avenue, has received an appointment to take training under the V-7 Naval Reserve, with the purpose of becoming an ensign in the Naval Reserve, and an opportunity of entering into active service in the United States Navy.

De Foe who has attended Northwestern university, was in the Naval R.O.T.C. there. This summer, upon returning from a cruise, and learning of the future training made application after which his records were investigated and his appointment made.

February 14 he will enter the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, where he will receive one month's training, after which he will undergo an examination, also take another physical examination. Should he be successful in passing this first month's test, he will then be entered into a three-months' Naval Training course.

Completion of this ocurse and upon graduation, he will be commissioned an ensign in the Naval Reserve, with an opportunity to transfer into active service in the navy. Shortage of naval officers has brought about this quick training period to obtain officers for the United States Navy.

To enter the training a young man must be twenty-one years old, have had two years of college work with a high educational rating, and unmarried.

Training stations are located at Northwestern university, also on the U. S. S. Illinois at New York, and the United States Naval Academy. One class has already been graduated from the U.S.S. Illinois school. The class of which De Foe enters at the Naval Academy will be the first held there.

Struggle To Down Anarchy

Reign Of Terror In Rumania After Mass Executions

BUCHAREST, Rumania, Nov. 28.—(AP)—German troops were brought into the capital today from Pitesci 65 miles away, to help protect the city as the iron guard purge of former members of King Carol's regime continued with the assassination of former Premier Nicolai Jorga.

Report Score More Executed

BUDAPEST, Hungary, Nov. 28—(AP)—Twenty more adherents of former King Carol's regime were reported in diplomatic quarters tonight to have been executed at the Rumanian oil center of Ploesti.

Other reports said: Twenty-six Iron Guardists involved in the purge of political enemies at Jilava prison committed suicide; police headquarters in Bucharest was seized by the Iron Guard; the American built telephone building was occupied.

There was no confirmation of these reports.

BUDAPEST, Nov. 28.—(AP)—Rumanian Premier Gen. Ion Antonescu struggled today to check possible anarcky in his new iron guard state as self-appointed execution squads of green shirted guardists were reported threatening the lives of every political enemy in Rumania.

The outburst of vengeance in which at least 64 Rumanians met violent death yesterday, including generals and cabinet ministers under former King Carol, was said to have touched off a virtual reign of terror. Both Antonescu and Vice Premier Horia Sima, leader of the pro-Nazi guard, pleaded for "legality, justice and order."

These reports slipped past a screen of censorthip:

The blood purge, started by a rebellious wing of the iron guard "legionary movement," struck down not only those incarverated in Jilava prison but also numerous politicians who never were arrested.

Only prompt government protection saved former Premiers Gheorghe Tartarescu and Ion Gigurtu and former War Minister Gen. Gheorghe Ilasievici from assassination.

Antonescu himself is consider-

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Movie Shown To Kiwanians

"Know Your Money," a moving picture sponsored by the United States Secret Service, Department of the Treasury, was shown to Sedalia Kiwanians at their noon meeting yesterday in Bothwell hotel. It was presented by W. B. Cline, a member of the department, who was introduced by Program Chairman A. H. Wilks.

Rev. H. U. Campbell officially inducted into the organization as a new member, Rabbi Harry May.

President Paul Hedderich announced that there would be a meeting of the board of directors and committee chairmen at Fred Kueck's this noon.

Guests at yesterday's meeting were Don Middleton and Jack Mitchell of Wichita, Kans., and Ray W. Hunt, Sedalia.

Examination Of Guardsmen Still Continues

More Than Half Of Artillerymen Have Taken Tests

More than half of the National Guardsmen, who have been inducted into the United States Army, in Sedalia's two batteries, Headquarters Battery and Battery F, have undergone their physical examination.

Lieutenant Colonel James W. Graham, member of the United States Medical Reserve, Kansas City, is in charge of the examinations being held in Sedalia. He is assisted by two other officers of the Medical Reserve, Captain Albert Leiberman, Jr., of Kansas City, and Lieutenant James O. Smith of Clinton. Lieutenant Colonel Graham this morning stated examinations were going along nicely and every co-operation on the part of the officers of the local batteries and of the men themselves is being experienced.

No information has been given out as to what men or how many, if any, have been rejected. However it is believed several boys will fail to pass their physical examination.

Have Visiting Hours

Twenty clerks from Headquarters Battery are busy with paper work, while several other boys are assisting the medical examiners in their work. Captain Harry O. Berry, commander of Headquarters Battery said he was well pleased with the work being turned out by his men, who although many are inexperienced, are doing as good a job as some of those of longer experience.

Captain Berry yesterday announced there will be visiting hours at Convention Hall for anyone desiring to visit the encampment at Liberty Park. The public is cordially invited to visit the boys between the hours of 4 o'clock in the afternoon and 9 o'clock at night. They will be shown through the building, the kitchen, mess hall, and sleeping quarters.

Christmas Gift For Draftees

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—(AP)—The army is going to give a lot of prospective citizen soldiers a Christmas present, officials said today, by not taking any of them away from their homes and into the service between December 15 and January 3.

The original working schedule called for some 60,000 to be summoned during this Yuletide period.

Two reasons were mainly responsible for the "Christmas present" decision, officials explained.

1—The situation did not appear so compelling as to require induction of the selective service trainees during the holidays.

2—Many of the units to which the new men would be sent would be depleted by Christmas furloughs, and time spent with them might be largely wasted.

The chances of men already inducted getting holiday leave will be the same as those of enlisted men, and will depend to a considerable extent upon the distance of their camps from their homes. Local commanders will decide this matter.

Officers estimated that inductions would reach large proportions soon after the new year and, rising steadily until sometime in April, average at least 150,000 a month during this period. Thereafter the pace will be somewhat slower until the summer when the 800,000-man goal for the first year of selective service is to be reached. The next step will be to start replacing the men who are just now beginning their year's training.

'Show Me' Regiment Dates Back To The War Of 1812

COLUMBIA, Mo., Nov. 28—(Special)—War in the world has always keynoted mobilizations of Missouri's 128th Field Artillery regiment.

Today, with Europe and the Orient at sword's point, the noted "Show Me" regiment is preparing to leave Missouri December 5 for one year's training at Fort Jackson, South Carolina. The personnel of the regiment includes 61 officers and 1,062 men. The regiment has batteries located at Columbia, Boonville, Mexico, Sedalia, Clinton, St. Louis, Albany, Maryville and Burlington Junction.

The history of the regiment dates back to 1812, when the first militia was organized in the Missouri territory. In that year Battery A was created to protect the St. Louis trading post from Indians.

Army of the West

In 1846, Battery A joined "The American Army of the West" and saw active service in Mexico. Then came the Civil War when the Missouri unit split, with half of its fighting men for the north and half for the South.

Later the battery was reunited and in 1916 was mobilized and sent to the Mexican border. On the following year—1917—the battery was expanded into what is now the 128th Field Artillery regiment.

During the World war, the 128th variously supported units of the 35th Division, the First and 81st Divisions at St. Mihiel, Meuse-Argonne and Verdun. It had orders to assist in the drive on Metz when the armistice was signed.

On the Western front the 128th gained a reputation for fighting prowess which has long been the envy of many other units. When the armistice was signed the casualty list for the regiment showed 25 men dead and 124 wounded.

In its present mobilization, the 128th is commanded by Lt. Col. Charles E. Barkshire of Columbia. During a recent speech to the officers of the regiment, Col. Barkshire said:

"I'm sure the tradition of the regiment will be enhanced during our present peace-time training program. Our program will be anything but easy; however, the soldiers of Missouri have never failed—and I know, won't this time."

Contests Election Of Menefee As Assessor

Lawson Clingan, Pettis county farmer, Republican nominee for Pettis county assessor in the November 5 general election, contending that he was elected to the county office instead of John W. Menefee, Democrat, yesterday filed proceedings in the circuit court, contesting Mr. Menefee's election and right to hold office.

The papers were filed by Earl T. Crawford, attorney for Clingan. The case will be called at the February term of circuit court.

Clingan contends that the votes in the forty-six precincts of the county were not properly counted, and that Mr. Menefee, instead of receiving 8,718 votes, as were reported after the official count, received only 8,000, while he, Clingan, received not less than 9,200, instead of 8,707 as were reported.

Mr. Menefee was elected for a third term, but his present term does not expire until May 31.

Claim Improper Count

The petition sets for the following allegations:

By accident or mistake of judges and clerks of election, in each of the 46 precincts of the county, at least ten votes for the contestee and the contestant were not properly counted, and at least ten votes lawfully cast for contestant were counted for contestee and at least ten votes cast for contestant in each precinct were not counted or returned at all, and by reason of this the contestant is entitled to 920 votes more than were counted for him and the contestee is not entitled to have counted and returned for him at least 460 votes which were counted for him.

Question Right Of Ballot

Judges in the forty-six precincts permitted at least ten persons to vote who had not resided in the state one year or in the county, city or town sixty days immediately preceding the election, therefore the contestee is not entitled to 460 votes which were counted for him.

In each of the 16 precincts of the city the judges permitted at least ten persons who were not registered as duly qualified voters in the precinct in which they voted, to vote, which votes were counted for contestant and to which he is not entitled.

In each of the 16 precincts of the city at least ten persons were permitted to vote, who were registered in the precinct in which they voted, but who had lost their right to vote in such precincts because they had moved from the city or county and at the time of voting had not resided in the city sixty days immediately preceding the election. Such votes, it continues to allege, were counted for contestee.

In each of the 16 precincts of the city judges permitted at least ten persons to vote whose names were registered as duly qualified voters in such precincts, but who had lost their vote because they had moved, and at the time they voted did not reside in the ward or precinct in which they voted and had not resided there ten days immediately preceding the election, and such votes were counted for contestee.

Judges permitted persons to vote, who were not qualified voters of the county because they had not resided in the state of Missouri one year, or in the city, county or town sixty days, to-wit: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Adams and Mr. Mahan, who voted in precinct 1, ward 1, Sedalia; Mrs. Anna Rhodes, who voted in precinct 2, ward 4, Sedalia and George Brent and Virginia Brent, who voted in precinct 1, ward 3, Sedalia, and whose votes were counted for contestee.

Judges in precinct 1, ward 1, Sedalia, permitted Ruth Jolly to vote in that precinct when she was not qualified to vote there because she had not resided in that ward or precinct at least ten days immediately preceding the election, and the vote was cast for contestee.

Without Affidavit

In precinct 1, ward 1, one of the judges transferred the registration of Lucille Shoemaker at 514 West Fourth street to Lucile Bigelow, 614 Wilkerson, and permitted her to vote in that precinct without the affidavit required by law and without the consent of two of the said judges, and this vote was counted for contestee.

In precinct 1, ward 1, the judges permitted a ballot to be voted by another person for and in the name of Joe Slack without the said Joe Slack being present and voting in person in the polling place, and this vote was counted for the contestee.

In precinct 1, ward 1, the judges permitted Sam Solomon to vote, who at that time was not a citizen of the United States, and the vote was counted for contestee.

In Hughesville, precinct 1, the judges permitted Mrs. J. Aldredge and Mrs. Lorella McClure to vote at their homes and their votes were counted for contestee.

Contest Absentee Votes

There were unlawfully cast, counted and returned for the contestee in said election absentee ballots of William C. Hutchinson, C. V. Sands, Mrs. W. E. Selvey, William E. Riley, Grace T. Hall, Elizabeth M. Tomlinson, R. E. Paige, Richard L. Shadwick, Eula Dilse, Mrs. E. E. Bohanon, Mrs. John Elliott, Susan A. Copas, George E. Bohon (also known as Leo E. Brauer) Mrs. Mabel Jackson, Dan E. Jackson, Richard Cashman, Mrs. E. F. Dorsey, Ruth Dorsey, Elaine Hull, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Maroney, Maude G McFadden, Frank J. Goode, Victor Chapman, Mrs. Georgia Chapman, C. J. Enns and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paxton, all of whom were not legal voters because they had not resided in Missouri one year, or in the county sixty days immediately preceding the election, 26 votes were counted for contestee.

There were cast and returned for contestee absentee ballots for and in the names of C. R. Rush, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dorsey and Ruth Dorsey, which were not marked and voted by said persons and the affidavits on the envelopes containing such ballots were not sworn to and signed by said persons, but were marked, voted, sworn to and signed by other persons and the votes counted for the contestee.

Claim Non-Registration

There was counted for the contestee the absentee ballot of Beulah L. Wendleton, who gave her address as 803 East Tenth street, which ballot was not legal because she was not registered and had not resided at that address for ten days immediately preceding the election.

There was cast and counted for the contestee the absentee ballot of Joseph S. Quinn, which was delivered to and voted by him November 2, and he was not at that time registered at the address given in his application.

There was cast and counted for contestee the absentee ballot of Helen Kueck (or Kink) of La Monte, who had not resided in the county sixty days immediately preceding the election.

There was cast and voted for the contestee the absentee ballot of Richard Shadwick who had been outside the state of Missouri for more than sixty days prior to the election.

There were cast and counted for the contestee the absentee ballots of Donald R. Anderson, E. W. Carver, Ruby Evans, Ernest McGlothlin, Nellie McGlothlin, J. S. Devine, Mrs. Edward Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paxton, who were in the county on election day for a sufficient time to vote in person.

There were cast and counted for the contestee the absentee ballots of Richard Shadwick, F. C. Royce, A. A. Weaver and Mrs. A. A. Weaver, who were outside the state of Missouri during all of election day.

Alroy S. Phillips of St. Louis, is an associate attorney with Earl Crawford in representing the contestant.

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We Are Lucky— Let's Be Thankful

Americans are the luckiest people in the world.

If they were anything but devoutly and humbly thankful this Thanksgiving Day, they would be the most ungrateful people in the world.

We are at peace—and thus we have been granted the most precious boon granted to any people in these days.

We live in a plenteous continent stuffed with all the good things of material life.

We have freedom; we have hope.

Of all people in the world who should give humble thanks for their blessings, we should be foremost.

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We are at peace—but that is no great credit to our superior policies or even our superior good-will. Other countries have as earnestly sought and worked for peace, have had as great good-will, but peace was snatched from them.

We live amid plenty. That this plenty is not available to all is a matter for our shame. But the opportunity has been given us. Plenty is ours. That we have not had the wit or the will so to distribute it that all might share is certainly no fault but our own.

We have freedom. Our forefathers won it for us with blood and tears. It comes to us today through no special merit of our own. Whether we shall keep it and extend it—that will be the test of our merit. But it is given us today without regard to our effort or merit.

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Surely a people so blessed can do no less than to take a day of solemn thought to consider how it may become more nearly worthy of this bounty.

More than 300 years ago a tiny band of Pilgrims on the Rocky New England coast saw their straggling crop wither in drought. They visioned another "starving time" such as they had looked upon before, when loved ones weakened and died before their eyes for lack of a little corn. Then came rain. The crop was saved. And for this simple bounty they declared a day of Thanksgiving.

This is the day which we, who have been a thousand times more favored, are to observe once again. May we render these thanks with something of the humility and devotion that moved the Pilgrims, kneeling amid their ragged cornstalks at Plymouth.

They Are A Peculiar Race

The boys in France in 1918 used to have a song whose words asserted that the French, they are a peculiar race.

But the British, they are a peculiar race, too. They are supposed to have caved in long ago. But they do not cave. Further, though thousands of civilians have been struck down by bombs as they slept, the British still don't like that method of waging war.

They have over there an institution like the Gallup Poll, which has functioned right through the war without any interference from the government. Recently in the poll, this question was asked: "In view of the indiscriminate bombing of this country, would you approve or disapprove if the R. A. F. adopted a similar policy of bombing the civilian population of Germany?"

And 46 per cent of those polled said they wouldn't approve it. The same percentage guessed they would. And eight per cent just couldn't decide.

Our guess is that a poll after the bombing of Coventry would tell another story.

Another Defense Dividend

One of the difficulties in the way of improving the public health is persuading people to have proper physical examinations. Only in that way are defects in health exactly revealed—the first step in getting them remedied.

Of the 16,000,000 men registered for the draft, some 6,000,000 will undergo physical examination, Dr. Paul A. Neal estimates.

If a plan is devised to remedy the physical defects of those who are rejected for selective service, a vast improvement can be made in the health of the manpower of the nation, Dr. Neal believes. That will increase the efficiency and productiveness of the industrial machine, which is now losing vast amounts of man-hours each year through sickness and injury.

Now that we have selective military service, we might as well squeeze out of it every ounce of benefit we can derive for the American people at large. If it can be made to contribute even to the health of those not chosen for service, so much the better.

The Voices That Shout 'Peace!'

The tumult and the shouting of the campaign die away, but there is one shout that must echo and re-echo in the President's mind as he sits alone to think of his tremendous third triumph. Yes, presidents sit alone sometimes. In fact, despite the constant impingement of problems and persons, the presidency is a lonely job, and all presidents have felt it keenly.

The shout that cannot die out of the President's mind is the shout of the American people for peace. He cannot forget that the one thing both in his own addresses and those of his opponent that always touched off a roar of spontaneous approval was any passage that gave hope of keeping our great land at peace.

He cannot forget that of around 22,000,000 Americans who voting for the opposing candidate, many, many of them so voted because they thought peace might thus be best preserved. He cannot forget that his own specific pledges of peace, so long as peace is permitted us, were the passages which drew the deepest response.

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Neither candidate could honestly have made or kept a pledge that "under no circumstances whatever will the United States go to war." Neither did so. War or peace in the near future is not so much a matter of conscious American decision as of circumstances, and the acts of others. Yet a strong and determined will to peace can do much, and the American people have that will.

The campaign showed equally clear support of American foreign policy as revealed in action. There was no basic difference between parties here, and Mr. Willkie's post-election statement shows clearly this unity. Exactly where this course will lead us, no man can precisely prophesy. The conduct of human affairs is not a mathematical science. But the course has been charted by the pilot and confirmed by passengers and crew.

We stake our chance of peace on strength to defend ourselves. Before the Revolution we were unprepared—yet war came. Before the War of 1812, the same. Before the Mexican War, the same. Before the Spanish-American War, the same. Before the World War, the same. Each time we were unprepared—yet the war came. About the only time the United States faced a great crisis in armed strength was in 1867, when the finest army in the world backed the ultimatum to France to get out of Mexico—and there was no war.

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This time we propose to prepare, hoping that this will serve us for peace, since unpreparedness has so often failed to prevent war. The nation is united in determination to gain strength in proportion to its great power. To the death it will defend its soil, its interests, its free way of life.

But it is peace the American people want—to keep peace if they can; to join war only if they must. Those great deep-throated shouts from both sides of the whole campaign reveal it clearly. Above the shouting and exaltation of triumph may be heard clearly the voices that cried "Peace!"

Petticoats Rule the Roost

Dover, a little community of 700 souls down in North Carolina, is going to be a place well worth watching. And if all goes well it may be a village well worth matching. For it has a complete petticoat government.

Not only is the mayor a woman, but the Board of Aldermen is completely female, the lone man chosen having declined to go on with the job. Now the ladies have a chance to show what they can do all by themselves. If they don't balance the budget, get a dollar's worth of supplies for a dollar expenditure, run the loafers out of town, and keep the streets cleaner than they have ever been before, we sadly miss our guess.

For running a town is just a form of good housekeeping—woman's specialty.

The Spirit That Wins

In the days of chivalry when a knight went forth to do battle, his lady fair was apt to give him a farewell with the familiar words:

"Come back with your shield or on it."

Something of the same spirit seems to exist in modern Greece. The citizens have been sending packets of prized cigarets to their warriors. In one such packet was found a letter from the donor:

"Smoke these cigarets and enjoy them. If you happen to be my own son, do not return at all to your father's house unless you return victorious. If you are not my son, remember your father would express the same wish."

• Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

G. C. Cushing has resigned his position as clerk at the Missouri Pacific shops and will go to Texas.

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The Retail Clerks' International Protective association held a meeting in the city hall yesterday afternoon and admitted 15 more clerks to membership.

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Seymour B. Williams, Phil E. Ott, William Williams and others returned yesterday from a ten days' fishing trip at Arnhold's Mill in Camden county.

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D. H. Smith has donated a town lot to the convention hall fund. Other substantial donations are promised, and the full list promises to be a lengthy one.

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The Dewey Tigers, of George R. Smith college, returned this morning from Jefferson City, where yesterday they defeated the Lincoln Institute eleven by the score of 6 to 5.

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The concert given at Gregg's hall by Valentine Abt, the famous mandolin artist, last night, was largely attended and proved a success.

Joe Paradis' delivery horse ran away with a cart last evening, and meat was scattered at irregular intervals on Missouri avenue, from Second street to Twenty-fourth. The cart can be used for kindling wood.

Corporal Beckham Weds A Sister Through Adoption



Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Beckham

Corporal Robert O. Beckham, 21, and his sister through adoption, Miss Mary Ellen Beckham, 17, were quietly married at 11 o'clock Saturday morning in Marshall, Mo., by Judge T. H. Harvey, of the Saline county probate court. The couple is well known among the young people of Sedalia.

Corporal Beckham is the son of L. W. Beckham, by a previous marriage, and Miss Mary Ellen, is the adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Beckham, of 616 East Tenth street.

The couple was accompanied to Marshall by Mr. Beckham, Mrs. A. C. Farthing, and her daughter, Miss Martha Jane Farthing, who witnessed the ceremony.

Mrs. Beckham is chaplain of Jobs Daughters and a sophomore in the Smith-Cotton high school. She was active in both the Jobs Daughters organization and in her school work.

Corporal Beckham attended school at Rolla, Mo., and also high school there. He came to Sedalia about two years ago to reside with his father. For more than a year he has been employed at the Missouri Pacific shops as a machinist apprentice.

He is a corporal in Battery F, 128th Field Artillery, Missouri National Guards, and on Monday his unit mobilizes to prepare to leave for Camp Jackson, South Carolina, on December 5.

Mrs. Beckham will join her husband in South Carolina and will probably leave on December 5 for Columbia, S. C., a short distance from Camp Jackson where she will reside during the year's encampment of the National Guards there.

TIPTON

Miss Gwenyth Potts Bride Of David Johnson

Church Wedding For Miss Kline And George Deuber

(By Mrs. A. R. Snorgrass)

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Potts announce the marriage of their daughter, Gweynth, to David Johnson of Boonville. The young couple procured their license at California, Mo., motored to Fulton and were married Wednesday, by the Baptist minister there. After a short stay in St. Louis, they returned to Boonville and are at home at 220 Water street. The bride, a lovely girl of charm and personality, is an honor graduate of the Tipton high school of the class of 1940. She was generally admired and was a favorite in her young circle of friends. Mr. Johnson has an interest in the Veitels Garage in Boonville and holds employment there.

A wedding of interest to friends was that of Miss Martha Kline, daughter of T. W. Kline, and George Dunber, son of Mrs. Mary Dunber, which was an event of Wednesday morning. The nuptial mass was read by the pastor, Rev. H. J. Breit, at the Catholic church. The bride, of much personal charm, wore for her wedding a green ensemble, with matching accessories. Attending them were the bride's sister, Mrs. K. J. Seiber and Mr. Seiber, Mrs. Seiber wearing brown. Mr. and Mrs. Dunber are well known and from prominent families. They are at home with the bride's father.

Miss Verna Lee Norman spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Norman. Mrs. Norman and her daughter motored to Mexico, Mo., Friday morning, where Miss Norman assumed her new position as manager of the Public Loan Association, she having been promoted from the Columbia office.

Miss Mina Schricker had as her pleasant guest for Thanksgiving, her young kinsman, Louis Schricker of Salt Lake City, Utah, who is a student at Washington University at St. Louis.

Mrs. B. F. Bowline has as her house guest her friend, Miss Emma Brown of Versailles. Mrs. Bowline's sister, Mrs. Emma Condra, who had been her guest, has returned to her home in Iberia.

Miss Dorothy Briscoe, of Columbia, was at home for Thanksgiving with her grandparents, Judge and Mrs. J. D. Briscoe.

The annual Thanksgiving sunrise service, held at the Presbyterian church, was well attended and of fine interest. Charles Messerly was in charge. Mrs. William P. McVean was pianist and the three ministers of the town each had a part. Rev. Freeman of the Christian church, offered the invocation; Rev. Browning of the Baptist church read the Bible lesson; Rev. Shopland of the Methodist church spoke. A pleasing addition was the choir of grade school children, directed by Miss Elizabeth Bahrenberg.

Two meetings of matrons classes from the Christian and Methodist churches enjoyed study and social sessions Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Myrtle Snodgrass received the Loyal Daughters from the former and Mrs. Ed Barnett, the class from the latter. At each a luncheon was served at the close of the discussion period.

Miss Sara Louise Hays, of the faculty of the St. Louis school system, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Woods entertained Sunday Mrs. Woods' mother and brother, Mrs. Lena Oerly and Roy Oerly, of Pilot Grove, and her sister, Mrs. Stella McDonald of Higginsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cook were guests during the past week of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hays Owen and children in Kansas City.

Mrs. E. G. Crawford accompanied her sister-in-law, Mrs. Don Robertson and her little daughters, to their home in Orlando, Fla., and will be their guest and that of her brother, Dr. Don Robertson, for an extended stay.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Palmer of near Syracuse, were Friday guests of their daughter, Mrs. C. S. Glasgow and Mr. Glasgow.

Among those attending the Missouri-Kansas game at Columbia Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Ferguson.

Mrs. P. G. Gallagher had as dinner guests Thursday, her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs William Tucker and daughter, Miss Alice Tucker of Sedalia. And as afternoon guests her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Truman Gallagher and daughter, Miss Rosemary Gallagher of Kansas City, who were guests for Thanksgiving of Mrs. Gallagher's father, R. L. Wehmuer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barnett had as guests, Thursday, their children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barnett of California.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hardy and daughter, Peggy, were guests on Thursday and Friday of their daughter, Miss Virginia Hardy at Springfield, Mo., where Miss Hardy is a member of the school faculty.

Thursday the Catholic church sponsored a turkey dinner and lunch and in the evening a dance at Kueper center. All of these were largely attended and the sum of $378 was cleared.

John Imms, of St. Louis, came Friday for a few days stay with Tipton relatives. John is a second year student at the Washington university.

Mrs. Curtis Veach, of New Franklin, was the guest of Tipton and Fortuna relatives during the Thanksgiving season.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Wehmuer of Kansas City, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. Wehmuer's father, R. L. Wehmuer.

Every Ready Club Of Olive Branch Met

The Olive Branch Ever Ready club of Morgan county met at the home of Mrs. Earl Bonine with most of the members present. At noon luncheon was served.

In the afternoon the meeting was called to order by Mrs. Arthur Peoples followed by the song, "America, The Beautiful." A reading by Mrs. Peoples was given.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Arthur Peoples, December 18.

Roll call will be a Christmas gift suggestion: "Something I Made Myself." Mrs. Roscoe Yarnell and Mrs. Robert Robertson are on the program committee.

Long's Peak, Colo., is named for Major Long, yet he never got any nearer to it than the South Platte river, between 50 and 100 miles away.

CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Sarah J. Carroll Dies At Age Of 99

Miss Zimmerman And Sam Ziehmer Wed At Eldon

(By Mrs. J. E. Zey)

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Sarah Jane Carroll at the Williams Funeral Home, Monday afternoon, at 1 o'clock. Dr. J. S. Baird of the Presbyterian church officiated. Burial was in the Masonic cemetery beside the grave of her husband. Sarah Jane Wilson was born September 29, 1841, in California, Mo., being 99 years old. She was married to Hugh Carroll some 75 years ago. Mr. Carroll was killed in a train wreck in 1881. Two sons, Eldredge and Wilbur Carroll, were born to them, both surviving and both live in Louisiana. There are also two grandchildren, Hugh and Kathryn Carroll, children of Wilbur Carroll and wife. Mrs. Carroll and sons left here about 40 years ago.

Miss Geneva Zimmerman and Sam Ziehmer announce their marriage of November 3, at Eldon, Mo. Mrs. Ziehmer is a daughter of Mrs. Kathryn Zimmerman and Mr. Ziehmer is a son of Mrs. Julia Ziehmer. They will reside on the groom's mother's farm.

Word has been received here of the death of C. C. Banneman of Springfield, Mo. The Bannemans resided here about 12 years ago and Mr. Banneman operated a chick hatchery.

Anna Margaret Bulackburn underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Latham Sanitarium Monday.

Mrs. Walter Stanley and small daughter, Ruth Ann, left Saturday for Des Moines, Iowa, to visit her mother.

Miss Virginia Miller, a student at Warrensburg State Teachers College, is spending the holidays with relatives here.

J. R. Proctor, who has been a patient at Barnes hospital in St. Louis, is reported to be improved but is not able to be brought to his home.

F. W. Balke has disposed of his grocery store here and with his son and daughter, Gerald and Miss Lucile, will leave December 1 for Arizona to spend the winter and probably locate.

Mrs. H. W. Kuhn went to Kansas City Tuesday to attend the wedding of Miss Ruth Louise Bittner to Mr. Carl Elmer Shaw of Wyoming. Mr. Shaw is a cousin of Mrs. Kuhn.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Huber went to Houston, Texas, Thursday to visit Mrs. Huber's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Osterly and daughter, Geraldine Jo, spent the weekend in Valpariso, Ind., visiting their daughter, Lee Jane, who is a student in Valpariso university.

A son was born Saturday, November 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clark. He has been given the name of Robert Charles Jr.

Miss Nan Latham, a student at Washington university at St. Louis, came home Wednesday to spend the holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Latham.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Lytle and small daughter, of Seminole, Okla., came Friday to visit Mrs. Lytle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Byler.

Miss Gertrude Heck and her aunt, Mrs. Amanda Haldiman, went to St. Louis Wednesday to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John Bybee.

Miss Alithea Moser arrived on Saturday from Washington, D. C., to spend a two weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Moser.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cole and son, Ned, are spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Grant West in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Roth and daughter, Kay, of Kansas City, came Wednesday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roth.

Ed Marti, of Reno, Nev., came Wednesday night to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Marti.

Mrs. Harry Magson returned Friday from Mayo Brothers Clinic at Rochester, Minn., where she has been taking treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clemmin and his father, Jake Clemmin, left Tuesday for Cincinnati, Ohio, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Emil Clemmin.

Fordyce Manning of Ft. Knox, Kentucky, visited his mother, Mrs. Grace Manning on the weekend.

Rev. J. Allen Webb, pastor of the Methodist church, married Harold Wilford Hodges and Mildred Amanda Lippelmann of Lebanon, Mo., Monday, November 18 at his home.

Mrs. R. L. Hood went to St. Louis Saturday to care for her daughter, Mrs. J. N. Gattermeir, who is ill. Mr. and Mrs. Gattermeir's son David is a patient at St. Johns hospital of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Bond Proctor and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Ford of Jefferson City, spent Sunday in Kansas City.

Miss Sara Friedmeyer, a student at Central College, Fayette, came home Wednesday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Friedmeyer.

Rev. T. J. Smith attended a meeting of the board of trustees of the Le Grange college at Hannibal, Mo., Monday.

Mrs. Grace Manning had as her weekend guests, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nail of Jefferson City.

Wilbur Miller, who is in the navy at the Hawaiian Islands, came Sunday to spend a ten-day vacation with his father, Will Miller and other relatives.

Miss Sally Wood, Mrs. Elsie May Smith, Miss Tillie Wood and J. W. Wilson attended a meeting of the Eastern Star in Jefferson City Monday night.

Miss Icie Milligan went to Maryville, Mo., to visit her parents for two weeks.

Miss Harriett Moore left Friday for Helena, Ark., where she will spend the winter with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Monroe.

HUGHESVILLE

Visitation Day At Hughesville School Nov. 15

Charles Bliss Home After Undergoing An Operation

(By Mrs. Harold Conway)

Visitation Day was observed at the Hughesville high and grade school on Friday, November 15, under the auspices of the following: Superintendent Glen R. Snider, Supervisor of Industrial Arts and Shop Chester Craine, Supervisor of Music and Fine Arts Miss Geraldine Johns, Domestic Science and third and fourth grades, Miss Grace Cordry; seventh and eighth grades, Paul Stephens; fifth and sixth grades, Miss Ruth Lewis; first and second grades, Miss Willa Sue Higgins and Substitute Teacher Mrs. Lon Slaton. Mr. Farthing of Sedalia Band and Orchestra Music Instructor. There were about 200 parents and patrons that arrived at 9 o'clock and visited the classes during the morning hours. At noon a hot lunch was served to the visitors. At 1:30 p. m. the following program was given in the school auditorium: Mr. Snider, in a welcoming speech, told of the progress the Hughesville school had made and the work they were doing at the present time and mentioned the courses in bookkeeping, typing and office practice, cooking and industrial arts that were offered by the school. Mr. Snider appointed the following committee to organize a PTA here: Mesdames Harry Meyers, Robert Conway, Lester Alexander, Homer Cunningham and B. F. Crago. The members of the speech class recited:

The Congo, by Vachel Lindsay; Danny Deever, by Rudolph Kipling; Pirate Don Dirk of Dundee, by Mildred Meads.

Recitation: Betty Paige McClure.

Radio Broadcast: Schnutzel Baum Medicated Saeurkraut: Jr. Kincheloe: Vernon Schneck, Wallace, Lowery, Richard Meyers, Delores Strader and Maxine Bland.

The Music and Orchestra Music Program at Hughesville School, talk given by Kathryn Rages.

Book Week Review: Thelma Kiel.

Flow Gently Sweet Afton, by School Glee Club.

The name Elexa Lou has been given the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Elliott, of Emporia, Kas., born November 6. Elexa Lou is the great granddaughter of Mrs. Joe Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Aldredge.

The Hughesville Women's Christian Council met on Wednesday with Mrs. Joe Elliott and Mrs. Berry Elliott as hostesses. The meeting consisted of completion of plans for an entertainment and a book review by Mrs. H. Cunningham, climaxing the study of the Immigrant People Problem. Visitors present were: Mrs. E. S. Elliott of Warrensburg, Mrs. Frank Elmore of Little Rock, Ark., Mrs. Anna Gehring of the state of California, Mrs. Achauer of Warrensburg, Mrs. Robert Conway and Mr. and Mrs. John McCurdy.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Conway, of Kirwood, Miss Lucile Conway and R. Munro of East Orange, N. J., spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Conway and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conway and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Elliott and Mrs. Joe Elliott entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles Callis, Mrs. Will Callis and Miss Dorothy Callis for dinner on Sunday.

Charles Bliss returned home Friday from the Memorial hospital in Kansas City, after a 10-day stay there, where he underwent an operation. His condition is satisfactory.

Mrs. Lealand Bealert entertained the following at a desert bridge on Tuesday: Mesdames Charles Bliss, Das McClure, Lester Alexander, Harold Conway, Robert Conway, Berry Elliott, G. G. Gorrell and Homer Cunningham.

Mrs. Clara Lewis of Kansas City was a visitor at the school on Tuesday. Mrs. Lewis was the former Clara Slagle of Sedalia.

Suit on Account Filed

A suit on account was filed in the circuit court Saturday by The Flora Pipe Line, a corporation, against Albert Moore, in which the plaintiff asks for $480.75, alleged due on account.

Lamm and Barnett are attorneys for the plaintiff.

John Laws Chosen Student Representative

At a recent election of officers for the band at Chadron State Teachers College, Chadron, Neb., John Laws, student from Sedalia, was chosen student representative.

HOUSTONIA

Anniversary Of Mr. And Mrs. Mitchell

Many Visitors In Celebrations Of Thanksgiving

(By Mrs. Bennie Martin)

The Monday Night Bridge club met with Miss Margaret Scott. Those present were Mesdames Tevebaugh, Dorsey, C. R. Rhinehart, Dewey Houchen, Nathan Harris, F. W. Hueben, Misses Elizabeth Parkhurst and Mary Elizabeth Tevebaugh. Awards went to Mrs. Tevebaugh, Miss Tevebaugh and Miss Parkhurst.

Keith Cook, a student at Manhattan college, Manhattan, Kas., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cook and son, Kenneth.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mitchell celebrated their twentieth wedding anniversary at their home on Sunday, November 16. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Marcellus Donnell, Mr. and Mrs. James Donnell, Mr. and Mrs. D. Smith and family of Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wolford and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Scott and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Staus, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reid, Miss Willie Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reid and family. Mrs. Mary Bakert, Mrs. Claude Bakert and family, Mr. and Mrs. N. Thomas and family, Willis, Wilbur and Orville Donnell, Wendell Thomas, Misses Opal and Merle Kearney, Dorothy Donnell and Virginia King.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Community club at the school building on December 5, Miss Ruth Fults, of Sedalia, will be the guest speaker.

E. A. Elliott, of Joplin, a brother of Mrs. C. F. Wicker, of Houstonia, was elected first vice president of the Missouri State Teachers Association.

Miss Dorothy Longan, a teacher in St. Louis and Miss Mary Ed Longan, a teacher in Sweet Springs, spent the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Joe Longan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harris, Sr., entertained with a family turkey dinner Thursday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Gray, daughters, Shirley and Katherine and Mrs. Ruth Harris Packard, of St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Harris and two sons, of Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Freund and family and Mrs. Graves entertained with a turkey dinner Thanksgiving day, Mr. and Mrs. George U. Freund and son, Dickie, of Marshall; Mr. and Mrs. George U. Freund, Sr., and daughter, Ruth, of Pleasant Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brown and daughters, Frances and Irene, had as their house guests over the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Murry of Louisberg, Kas.

Mrs. Ruth Weir and son, Tommie, of Sweet Springs, spent from Friday until Sunday evening with Mrs. Weir's sister, Mrs. Clarence Ramseyer and Mr. Ramseyer.

Mr. and Mrs. George Williams and son had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Williams, daughters Betty Lou and Carolyn, of Marshall; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Martin and little son, Alvin.

Mrs. William Hoffman spent from Sunday until Thursday with her son, Harlin Hoffman, who is a student at William Jewell college, in Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. James Houchen, of Louisberg, Kas., spent Thursday and Friday here with Mr. Houchen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Houchen and Mrs. Houchen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCarthy and family.

Emil Tagtmeyer has returned to Golden City, after a visit here with his mother and family.

Mrs. Joe Longan spent several days last week in Sweet Springs with her brother and his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay B. Dorsey and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wicker, daughters, Edith Anne and Patty Lou, spent Sunday in Kansas City.

R. M. King, who is in the CCC camp at Marshall, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin King.

Hubert, Bob and Miss Helen King, of Kansas City, spent a few days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pummill.

Mrs. Charles Farris and children, of Kansas City, spent several days last week here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith and daughter, Alberta Rose, of Kansas City, spent the weekend in the Joe Lockney and Tom N. Smith home.

Wed Armistice Day At Jefferson City

Miss Lucille Henderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Henderson, of Smithton and Leo Carver, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carver, 904 East Eleventh street, were married November 11 in Jefferson City. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. W. Gibbany.

The bridegroom has employment in Jefferson City and they will be at home there after the first of the year.

"Old Faithful" geyser, in Yellowstone Park, spouted 223 feet high one day in 1938, a new record by 32 feet.

GREEN RIDGE

Many Family Dinners Given Thanksgiving

Rev. D. A. Moore Gives Sermon In A Homecoming

Mrs. E. C. Vogelbaugh

Misses Lucille Carter and Mildred Sims and Carol and Paul Calvert attended the state B.T.U. convention in Springfield, Mo., the last of the week.

Misses Marilyn and Marjorie Rayburn, Carol Beach and Rosilea Stark visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George D. Rayburn and daughter Donna Kay at Clinton.

Rev. and Mrs. D. A. Moore left Monday for Eureka, Mo., where they visited relatives and attended the homecoming of their former church. Rev. Moore delivered the sermon at the Sunday morning service.

Prof. and Mrs. Keith Davis enjoyed the Thanksgiving vacation, visiting Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cleveland at Lowry City.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ream and daughter Betty Jane, spent Thanksgiving with their daughter Mrs. Orland Gillilan. Mr. Gillilan and their small daughter, Judith Ann, in St. Louis.

Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Hite entertained with a turkey dinner Sunday. The following guests: Dr. Hite's mother Mrs. Mary Hite and his brother Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hite of Pleasant Green, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Brubaker and daughters Miss Helen of Jefferson City and Miss Georgia of Columbia.

John A. Calvert who has been in the state of California the past year, came this week for a visit to his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Calvert and other relatives.

Mrs. Zora Johnson, joined relatives and friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Noland of LaMonte Sunday, for a reunion and turkey dinner.

Mrs. John McLemore of Walnut Grove, Mo., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Forrest L. Calvert and Mr. Calvert.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Vogelbaugh left Saturday for Brownington, where they will spend a week at the Wirth farm.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wisdom were hosts last Sunday at a family dinner, having as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom, Sr., of Lincoln. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Redmond and Mrs. Guy Nease of Odessa, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom, Jr., of Tipton, Mrs. Margaret Harvey Moore, of San Luis Obispo, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Beach and daughters Marvalee and Carol, had as Thanksgiving guests, Mrs. Beach's brother, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Rayburn and daughters Marilyn and Marjorie and Mr. and Mrs. George Donald Rayburn and daughters Donna Kay, of Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Ragar entertained the following Thanksgiving guests: Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Mosley, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ragar and daughters Marjorie Frances and Dorothy Jean, and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bennett and daughter Eilene, of Santa Fe, N. M., came the first of the week to spend Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Bennett and his sister Mrs. Roy Geigley and Mr. Geigley.

Miss Mildred Gover, has as her weekend guest at the home of her mother Mrs. F. J. Close and Mr. Close, her college friend Miss Doris Combs of Deepwater, Mo.

Miss Zelma Louise Purchase, who is attending Central college at Fayette, spent the Thanksgiving vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Purchase, who also had as guests Mrs. Purchase's sisters Mrs. J. B. Kyd, of Sedalia, and Mrs. Mildred Bagby and daughter Mary Gay of Kansas City. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Purchase and guests were entertained at a family dinner at the home of their brother Mr. and Mrs. Wilford F. Hollenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Shelley received word the first of the week of the death of Mr. Shelley's sister, Mrs. Jennie Downs, at Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Anderson and daughter spent Thanksgiving with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Levi Anderson in Kansas City.

Mrs. Mattie Raines, who is employed in Sedalia, has gone to Washington, D. C., where she will spend two weeks visiting her brother, Norman Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Easter and sons Elmer and Wilbur and Mrs. Easter's sister, Mrs. Clarence Bennetts of Lansing, Mich., spent Sunday with the ladies' brother, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Davis of Deepwater. On Thanksgiving Day Mr. and Mrs. Easter were hosts at a family dinner which included Mr. Easter's mother and Mrs. Easter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Cale Davis.

Miss Edith Brenner Is Transferred to Missouri

Miss Edith Brenner, who has been employed with the U. S. Veterans administration in Washington, D. C., has been transferred to Missouri, and Monday will enter the employ of the Selective Service department in Jefferson City.

Miss Brenner is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Brenner, 319 South Moniteau avenue.

• Bunceton

(By Mrs. Ethelyn Nelson)

Miss June Kunkle, of St. Louis, spent the weekend with her aunt, Mrs. Norris Moore and was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. Grace Kunkle, who had spent the past week with Mre. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kirby and children, of near Pleasant Green, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Ella Kirby.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gerhardt and Mrs. F. C. Gerhardt were Boonville shoppers Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Nellie July spent from Wednesday until Tuesday in Eldon with her son, Frances Paxton and family.

Miss Novella Renfrow of Fulton, spent Wednesday night and Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Renfroy.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Dishion spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baslee, near Pilot Grove.

Hillard Don Carlos III of St. Louis, spent the weekend with his grandmother, Mrs. Nellie English and aunt, Mrs. J. M. Grooms.

Herbert Harris, in company with Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Harris and son Billy, of Moberly, spent Sunday in Warrensburg with Miss Willie Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ford, of Kansas City, spent Thursday with her grandfather, James Richey and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Knettle and son of near Pleasant Green, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Kate Knettle.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Carey and son, of Speed, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Smith.

Mrs. Rachel Diltz of Sedalia, is visiting in the home of her grandson, J. W. Dills and family.

Ben Hurt, who is attending school in Kansas City, came Wednesday to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with his sisters, Misses Cotie and Leona Lois Hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Koontz and Mrs. C. F. Edmondson spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Mollie Cole and daughters near Nebo.

Mrs. Alex Hurt and Miss Myrtle Sappington spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. George Carpenter and daughter, Miss Lucile.

Among those who were shopping in Boonville Monday were: Miss Emmalee Kirtz, Miss Lutie Salmons, Mrs. W. T. Hedgpeth, Mrs. Alex Kurt, Miss Myrtle Sappington, Mrs. C. F. Edmonston and Mrs. Henry Shinn.

Mrs. Johnson returned to her home at Belton, Mo., Sunday after a two weeks' visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Jetter.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Rand and Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Smith were shopping in Sedalia Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmons Tutt announce the birth of a five pound son, born at Alex Ravenswaay hospital in Boonville Wednesday, November 20. He has been given the name of James Henry. Mrs. Tutt was the former Miss Mary Virginia Gander.

Mrs. Dorothy Etten and children plan to move near Warrensburg this week, where she will be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Scroggs. Mr. Etter died bout two months ago and Mrs. Etter has rented her farm to Truman Nelson and family.

• Syracuse

(By Caroline Schroeder)

Mr. and Mrs. William Mais of Fulton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mais.

Earl Steele was pleasantly surprised Wednesday evening when a group came in to help him celebrate his birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Veuleman, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kanenbley and family, Mrs. John Engle and Margot Ann, Miss Marguerite Rutter, Miss Mildred Parsons, Mrs. Harry Keevil, Ross Burns and Mr. and Mrs. Steel and Dorothy.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Steele had as their Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Steele and family of Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Self of East Lynn spent Sunday with Mrs. Burns.

Ervin Schroeder made a business trip to Little Rock last week.

Paul Edwin Stahl spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Stahl of Higginsville.

The funeral of Robert William Samuels, well known citizen of here, was Tuesday afternoon at the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Stahl, of California, formerly of Syracuse, are proud parents of a son. He has been named Charles Leonard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boyd of Syracuse, entertained with a Thanksgiving dinner Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Decker and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Neal and children, Ann and Orlyn of Syracuse; Mrs. L. M. Bahrenburg and daughter, Elizabeth of Tipton, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Decker and son, Donald of Sedalia; Mrs. H. N. Decker and Mrs. J. E. Garrins, of Kansas City.

Reverend Ritz, pastor of the Watertour church, in St. Louis, is holding a revival meeting at the Baptist church.

Miss Olive Kohler of Centerview, is visiting friends over Thanksgiving holidays.

A bird is an animal as well as a bird.

WARSAW

T. A. Reid Host Monday Night To Bridge Club

Social And Other Events Past Week In Community

By Josephine Johnson

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Boring and daughter, Eloise, went to Columbia Sunday where they visited their daughter, and sister, Miss Kathleen Boring, a freshman at the university.

Miss Lucile Calbert was in Springfield Thursday and Friday where she was a guest of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Calbert and children, Robert Wise and Ann Catherine.

The Warsaw Parent Teachers' Association met at the school building with Dr. W. E. Denman of St. Louis, the guest speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Short of Springfield were guests here Saturday night of his nephew, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Short and son, Bobby.

Mrs. H. N. Ferguson entertained with a turkey dinner at her home Sunday, her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Cain and daughter, Eleanor Louise of Clayton, and her son, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ferguson and Walter Morgan and Jeff Morgan.

Bluford Bybee, aged 56 years, a well known resident of Warsaw and Benton county, passed away at his home near Edwards, Saturday, November 16. He was born near Edwards, Sept. 16, 1884, and was the son of the late George Bybee and Mrs. Bybee, now of Sedalia. In Sept., 1913 he married to Miss Zela Admire of Fristoe and to this union two sons were born, J. B., Jr., and Edsel, who with their mother survive. Also surviving are his aged mother, Mrs. George Bybee of Sedalia and these brothers and sisters: George of Sedalia; Mrs. J. A. Reid, Neosho; Luther, Edwards; Lark, Fristoe; Charles, Rolla; Clarence, Mexico; Bennett, Yaholt, Wash.; Mrs. Andy Moore, Carson, Iowa; Mrs. Amos Cover, Warsaw; Mrs. J. E. Owsley, Blairstown and Mrs. F. P. Hickman, Mayfield, Colo.

Funeral services were held on Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the Methodist church in Cross Timbers, with Rev. J. H. Wagner of Warsaw officiating, assisted by George H. Miller of Hermitage, a friend of the deceased.

A quartet composed of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hammond, Mrs. G. S. Kirby and J. A. Atkins, sang, "The Old Rugged Cross," and "I Will Meet You In The Morning." Mrs. Clyde McCarty sang, "Beautiful Isle." Mrs. James Riddle was the accompanist.

Honorary and active pallbearers were: Frank Brady, James Boring, N. S. Newkirk, Lemuel Bird, Walter Button, Charles Bibb, W. J. Lumpe, U. E. Sartin, James Ryan, Elwood Davis, Louis Eaton and J. W. Durham. Interment was in Cross Timbers cemetery.

The McCormick Book club met Monday night at the Community building with Miss Frances Elliott the vice president in charge. Miss Ruth Ann Thomas gave an interesting review on the book, "The Nazarene." Miss Gladys Myers was in charge of current events.

Ol Short and daughter, Miss Lizzie, returned Saturday from Kansas City where they had been visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Homer Cunningham and family. Mr. Short has been quite ill at his home here since Sunday.

T. A. Reid was host to the Stag Bridge club at his home Monday night. Members and guests present were: W. K. Shepardson, Lloyd Parsons, Don McKinzie, Clyde McCarty, Jr., Orlyn Kowertz, Alvin Groomer, O. V. Singleton, Albert Parker, Gene Bibb and Fred Hunt. High score prize went to Alvine Groomer and low to Albert Parker.

Mrs. Nelson Jones and daughter, Lillian Marie of Mitchell, Ind., came Monday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Elsie Iiams and sister, Miss Gladys Iiams.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Atkins and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Fippin spent Thanksgiving day at Urbana in the home of Mrs. Hammond's niece Mr. and Mrs. Hollie Smith.

Circle One of the Missionary society of the Baptist church met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. E. Bowman. Plans were made for a Christmas party.

Mrs. Fred Hunt came home the first of the week after visiting several days, in Osceola at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mathews.

Mrs. Sadie B. Daniel and daughter, Mrs. Ethyl D. Riddle and Probate Judge W. H. Blandin went to Smithton Sunday where they attended the seventy-fourth anniversary of the Methodist church. Mrs. Daniel is the only surviving charter member of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Boring entertained their dinner bridge club with a turkey dinner at the Ozark Tavern Tuesday night. Following the dinner, bridge was played at the Boring home, with favors going to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Drake high score and traveling prize to Mrs. N. S. Newkirk. Those enjoying the evening with the hosts were: Messrs. and Mesdames Willard Glenn, Robert Drake, O. V. Singleton, N. S. Newkirk and W. J. Lumpe.

L. R. Poindexter Go in Training

Leonard Richard Poindexter, 21 year old Negro, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Poindexter, 2011 South Ohio avenue, will report at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., Monday morning to enter a year's training under the selective service act. He will take the place of Roderick Meredith Kingsbury, another Negro young man, who left Sedalia Saturday morning for Fort Leavenworth, but because he did not meet all the requirements of the army fort, will return to Sedalia.

Poindexter is the ninth young man to volunteer in Pettis county, and will be the second eligible for training. He has been a member of a CCC camp.

Veterans of the Foreign Wars, Bryan Howe, a member of the board, W. C. Shirk, clerk of the board, and relatives and friends of Murlin Edwin Smith, first Pettis countian to go to camp under the selective service act, and Kingsbury's relatives and friends, met at the court house early Saturday morning to escort the two young men to the train.

There were a few tears shed as the mothers bade their boys goodbye, and they boarded the train amid the goodbyes of the little group congregated on the station platform at the very early hour of 4:35 o'clock.

OTTERVILLE

Young Married Peoples' Class Entertained

Visitors During Thanksgiving At Repasts Given

(By Mrs. T. R. Cranmer)

Rev. H. A. Wood and Mrs. Wood entertained very delightfully the young married peoples' class of the Methodist church, at their home Tuesday evening after church. Music, solos and games whiled away the evening. Mrs. Woods was assisted in serving by Mrs. Todd, of California, Mo. There were about 50 present.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wherley entertained at dinner Thanksgiving day the following relatives and friends: Mr. and Mrs. T. Edwin Wherley and son, Dickey; Mrs. Ophelia Cline, Dennis Kahrs and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Haggard.

Miss Mollie Allen has as her guests the past week her cousins, Mrs. Catherine Umstat of Western Port, Md., and Mrs. James Allen of Keyser, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Berry entertained with a family dinner Thanksgiving day their daughters, Miss Edith Berry of Jefferson City; Mrs. Joseph P. Dunham and sons and daughters, J. P. and Billy; Mrs. Helen Edwards, son Bobby Joe and Mrs. W. D. Howard of Sedalia.

E. S. Shoemaker visited his daughter, Mrs. A. M. Johansen and family at Syracuse last Sunday. Other guests in the Johansen home were a son, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johansen, who left Sunday for Baton Rouge, La.

Dennis Kahrs, of Kansas City, visited Wednesday night and Thursday with his sister, Mrs. T. E. Wherley and Mr. Wherley.

Mrs. Sallie Smith returned Sunday from a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Logan Carey and son at Oklahoma City. Mrs. Smith is slowly improving from a short illness while in Oklahoma.

H. D. Case had all his children with him for Thanksgiving vacation: Mr. and Mrs. Engene Case, son Jimmy of Webster Groves; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Doutt, daughter Frances and Miss Alma Case, of Independence and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Nichols.

The T. E. Sunday school class of the Baptist church, met with their teacher, Mrs. L. C. Wilkerson, Wednesday afternoon. The devotional was led by Mrs. Martha Everett. The program for the social hour was under the direction of Mrs. E. K. Duvall. In the cranberry game contest Mrs. Mary Monroe, Mrs. Wilkerson's mother, who is quite old but still quite active, scored high. Mrs. Wilkerson served dainty refreshments to twelve present.

Mrs. Harold Finch was called to East Lynn by the death of her father, H. T. Darrah, who passed away Tuesday morning, after a lingering illness.

Paul Wood, who is attending Missouri university, came Friday to spend the vacation with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gunn entertained at dinner Thanksgiving day, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller of Centralia and Mrs. W. L. Layne.

Mr. and Mrs. Gussie Huffman and Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Hoerman and family were guests Thanksgiving day of their mother, Mrs. Anna Hoerman at Smithton. Other guests were Mrs. Hill and daughter, Miss Rose and George Hoerman of Pomona, Calif.

Franklin Son, who is attending college at Baldwin, Kas., came Wednesday to spend his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Son.

The Faithful Workers class of the Baptist church met in regular session with Mrs. Dorothy Speaker Tuesday afternoon. The devotional was led by Mrs. A. L. Schilb. At the close of the session delicious refreshments were served.

Miss Virginia Devine, who is attending high school at Marshall, came Wednesday for the vacation visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Devine. Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Nightingale, of Sedalia, were also guests in the Devine home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dunham, daughter Mrs. Helen Edwards and son, Bobby attended the funeral of Mr. Dunham's uncle, David A. Dunham, at Clarksburg, last Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Finley, of Smithton, is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Jess Straten. Mrs. Finley and Mrs. Kate Burnett and daughter, Miss Esther, were dinner guests Friday of Mrs. Sallie Smith.

Mrs. Martha Everett spent Thanksgiving in Sedalia at the home of her brother, Hunter Small.

Mrs. Dale V. Bush and children, Billie Dale and Marcha Grace of Arcadia, Calif., spent the past week in Otterville with her sisterin-law, Mrs. D. B. Mayfield and Mr. Mayfield.

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Figle attended the football game in Columbia and stayed all night Thursday with Mrs. A. L. Ferguson.

Linter Shults and family moved the past week from the property of Mrs. Lettie Ottern on North Boonville street, to the property of Mrs. Frank Varner in the west part of town.

T. Edwin Wherley, who has been assistant cashier at The Bank of Otterville for the past 17 years, has resigned his position, which became effective on Saturday, November 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Repp and Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Parker attended the football game in Columbia Thursday.

Miss Mary Homan has been assisting at the Bank of Otterville the past week.

Paul Zumsteg, who has been in Colorado for the past several months, came for an extended visit with his mother, Mrs. Kate Zumsteg.

Mrs. H. S. Adams and Hollie drove down from Kansas City Wednesday. H. M. Adams returned with them to spend Thanksgiving and will stay for a few days' visit.

Oak Point PTA Has A Program

The Oak Point Parent-Teachers association met at the school house Friday night. The session opened with a Thanksgiving prayer by Mrs. Pauline Correll. After a short business session the program chairman, Miss Edna Buffon presented the following program:

Song, "Faith of Our Fathers," by the audience.

Play, "Cy Perkins' Spectacles," Dorothy Hall and Ray Curtis.

Song, Thanksgiving, Five girls.

Piano solo, "From the Wigwam," Marlene Correll.

Play, "At The Dentist's, Joe and Forrest Taylor.

Story, The First Thanksgiving, Mrs. C. A. Lane.

Piano solo, Lazy Mary, Ann Curtis.

Thanksgiving Scripture Reading, Mrs. C. A. Crole.

Refreshments of pumpkin pie with whipped cream and coffee were served by the hostess, Mrs. Swearngen.

Meet By Van Natta Extension Club

The Van Natta Extension club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Roy Alexander, in an all day session.

The morning was spent in discussion. At noon a contributed lunch was served.

Due to the absence of the club president, Mrs. Frank Chaney, who was a delegate to the American Royal, Mrs. Wesley Harding, vice president, was in charge of the meeting.

Roll call was answered by telling a good deed we had seen.

Several interesting Thanksgiving poems and articles were read and the club letter was read.

Mrs. Wesley Harding gave an interesting report on "Birds That Are Beneficial To Man."

Miss Dorothy Bacon met with the club and gave many clever Christmas suggestions.

Plans were made for a Christmas party at the December meeting at which time the club members are to be the guests of Mrs. G. E. Heck.

A former member, Mrs. Hubert Brown, Mrs. G. W. Miller and Mrs. George Landis were guests for the day.

Visitor Injured When Hit by Car

Walter Hatfield, of Excelsior Springs, visiting relatives in Sedalia Saturday, was struck by a car late in the evening, driven by Kenneth Kruse, of Florence, Mo. The accident occurred near the intersection of Fourth street and Osage avenue.

Hatfield was taken to a doctor's office, and from there to the Bothwell hospital, where an examination showed painful, but it is believed, not serious injuries.

He remained at the hospital last night and may be there several days, according to his physician.

A car driven by Mrs. J. F. Mock, of Sedalia route 2, and one driven by F. A. Dickerson, of Indianapolis, Ind., collided at the intersection of Broadway and Engineer Saturday evening. No one was injured and there was only slight damage to the cars.

Birthday Party At Monsees Home

A birthday party and Thanksgiving dinner was served Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kalo Monsees of Smithton in honor of Col. L. M. Monsees and son, Kalo, who had birthdays Nov. 20 and 22.

A large birthday cake with 82 candles for L. M. Monsees and a roast goose formed the center pieces for the dining table.

Those present were Col. and Mrs. L. M. Monsees, Mr. and Mrs. Kalo Monsees and daughters, Mary Dee and Nancy Kay; Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Monsees and daughters, Marian and Betty Jane Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Monsees, Bill and Bobby Monsees, all of Smithton, Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Monsees and son Jimmie, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hyatt Monsees and son Stephen, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Monsees, all of Kansas City. Two members of the family, Miss Irene Monsees and George A. Monsees were absent.

Wiener Roast Is Given In Smithton

Lloyd H. Knox and Edward G. Ringen entertained friends with a wiener roast in the basement of the beautiful new home of Mr. Knox in Smithton Wednesday evening.

The decorations were very artistic. Music, games and roasting the weiners in the fireplace furnished the evening's entertainment. The guests attending were: Miss Margguerite Fullerton and Miss Mary Beth Kueck of Sedalia, Miss Edith Blynn Ringen, Miss Ruth Ferguson, David Mahnken, John Bluhm, Olin Klein, Baughs White and Robert Goetz. Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Knox and Mrs. Emma Bohon, who assisted in the entertaining and serving.

Turkey And Quail Dinner At Florence

A turkey dinner and quail supper was enjoyed Thanksgiving day by relatives at the hour of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hampy near Florence. The quail being furnished by Dr. John R. Ellison of Wheaton, Mo.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. William Fleming, Fairfax, Cal., Dr. and Mrs. John R. Ellison, Wheaton, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ellison, Beaman, Mr and Mrs. John Edwards, Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ellison and daughter, Miss Hattie, Smithton, Mr. and Mrs. Hampy and children, C. L., Cleo Ray and Carolyn.

Missing Doctor Is Found Dead

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 23.—(AP)—Dr. James B. Wood, 48-year-old physician who had been missing from his home since November 14, was found dead, apparently of exposure, in a vacant house today.

His mother, Mrs. Sarah Wood, with whom he resided, collapsed and died of a heart attack while searching for him the day he disappeared. She was 75 years old.

Wood, a medical corps lieutenant during the world war, was a patient for a time in the army mental hospital at Danville, Ill.

Arator Club Has Meeting

Mrs. Leland Wallace was hostess to the Arator Extension club at an all day meeting Wednesday with Mrs. Mollie Potter, Mrs. Ernest Schupp, Mrs. Daisy Higdon, Mrs. Add Johnson, Mrs. Farrin Palmer, Miss Dorothy Bacon and Mr. and Mrs. George Landes as guests.

The morning was spent in visiting. At noon a contributed lunch was served, cafeteria style, and a business session was called to order in the afternoon by the president, Mrs. John Dove. Members repeated the club in unison and reports were made by the treasurer and secretary.

Miss Dorothy Baxon, home demonstration agent, gave a talk on Christmas and made suggestions for making Christmas gifts.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Clarence Wells, December 18.

Talk by Miss Fults To Walnut Grove PTA

The Walnut Grove Parent-Teacher Association met last week and heard an interesting talk by Miss Ruth Fultz. Mrs. Vernon McMullan presided as chairman in the absence of the association president, who was ill.

There was a salute to the flag by the school children and a number by the rhythm band of the school.

Miss Dorothy Carter is the teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Fairfax Buy Farm

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Fairfax, of Otterville, have purchased the 545 acre farm, southeast of Sedalia, known as the Abell farm, and will take possession March 1. Frank Van Dyke is now residing on the farm.

The property, owned by a bank in Rutland county, Vt., was bought through an investment company in Oswego, Kas.

Mr. Fairfax is employed at the Missouri Pacific shops.

Florine Young Dies In Collision

Florine Young, 18, colored, a freshman at Friends university, Wichita, Kas., was killed almost instantly and Walton E. Morgan, 21, a freshman at the university, narrowly escaped serious injury when the car in which they were riding and the Kansas Citian, Santa Fe streamliner, collided at the Ninth street crossing in Wichita Wednesday.

Miss Young, who made her home with her aunt, Mrs. Myrtle West, 950 Cleveland, was en route to the Missouri Pacific station to board the Sunflower for Sedalia, to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents.

Morgan, who resided at 1302 North Washington, was driving the car and was proceeding west on Ninth street. He told officers that he never saw the crossing lights and was on the right-of-way when the south-bound train bore down upon the car.

The force of the impact turned the car completely around and tossed it astraddle the other main line tracks to the east.

Miss Young, who suffered a fractured skull and other injuries, was found lying on the right-of-way between the two main line tracks. The wrist watch on her left hand had stopped at 9:25.

Morgan suffered only a slight laceration on the right leg, although he was shaken up. He was not thrown from the car, which was all but demolished.

Miss Young was a graduate of Lincoln high school, class of 1940. A member of Quinn chapel A. M. E. church, funeral rites will be held at Ward Memorial Baptist church at one o'clock this Sunday afternoon. She leaves a mother, Mrs. Katheleen Young, father, A. R. Young, grandfather Simpson Younger, Sedalia, grandmother Lou Young, Houlka, Miss., six aunts, Mrs. Elizabeth Simmons, Sedalia; Mrs. Jenny Brazier, Mrs. Theodora Telford, Kansas City, Mo.; Mrs. Myrtle West, Wichita, Kas.; Mrs. Hassie Williams, Canton, O.; Mrs. Era Wilson, Gary, Ind., seven uncles, Douglas Younger, Kansas City, Mo.; Joe Younger, St. Louis Charley Younger, Wichita, Kas.; Dee Young, Kerville, Tenn.; Huddell Young, Chicago, Ill.; Jno. Young, Arlington, Tenn., and Emerson Young, Memphis, Tenn., and numerous cousins and friends.

Placements In Jobs Increase

More than twenty-seven thousand placements were made by the Missouri State Employment Service in October, by far the highest monthly total on record, Andrew J. Murphy, Sr., chairman of the Unemployment Compensation Commission of Missouri, announced today. These included 10,288 complete placements and 16,976 supplemental placements in which the employment office assisted but was not wholly responsible for the jobs found.

Of the 10,288 complete placements during October, 8,872 were in private industry and 1,416 in public employment, Murphy stated. Most of the 16,976 supplemental placements for the month were of cotton pickers in Southeast Missouri.

Placements for the Sedalia district, serving Pettis, Johnson and Morgan counties, totaled 144, including 94 private, 35 public and 15 supplemental placements.

"The annual fall increase in business activity, the national defense program and the rapidly approaching Christmas season all point toward a continued rise in private placements," Murphy stated. "We advise any job-seekers and skilled workers in particular, to apply at their nearest local office of the Employment Service and renew their applications regularly in order to take full advantage of the job openings which will be available."

"Workers interested in jobs on defense projects in Missouri, such as the construction of an army camp at Rolla, are particularly urged to apply for work at their local Employment Service office to avoid the confusion and delay in hiring which would result from an influx of job seekers to the site of the project," Murphy said.

Elm Branch PTA Has A Program

Miss Elizabeth Blew and the pupils of Elm Branch school assisted by Mrs. Katherine Lyles, music teacher, entertained the Elm Branch Swisher PTA Friday evening with a very interesting program.

The program was based on the three important events of the month: Armistice day, Education week and Thanksgiving, and consisted of well rendered readings, songs, drills and a play, "Thanksgiving With the Upsnoots." Colleen and Bessie Jones played a piano duet, Anita Rae Bell, a saxaphone solo, and Elizabeth Lee Lewis a violin solo.

Pie and coffee was enjoyed after the program.

Dr. Alderman One of Physicians Accused

Dr. Mason C. Alderman, formerly of Sedalia, now of Kansas City, is one of four Kansas City physicians recently charged with abortion. A manslaughter charge was filed against him.

The charges were filed by the prosecuting attorney in the justice court of J. J. Hurley.

LA MONTE

Homemakers Meet At Home Of Miss Fisher

Friendship Club Is Entertained By Mrs. Gregory

Mrs. R. E. Kerty

A family dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Porterfield Sunday honoring Mrs. Porterfield, who was sixty-seven years of age on that date. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Rose, Deane and Harold Porterfield of Cross Timbers, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Wilson, Fairfield, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burkholder and son Billy and Mrs. Marie Lamb of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hayworth and daughter Betty Lou and Mrs. W. W. Dill.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sevedge returned Saturday from Kansas City, where they spent a week visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. C. V. Darr and family, also his son, H. E. Sevedge and family.

Miss Maggie Sullivan and brother Jerry, had as dinner guests Sunday their sister Mrs. A. J. Thompson, Mr. Thompson and their brother, John Sullivan. Another sister Mrs. W. A. Sullivan and sons Bernard and Lawrence of Sedalia visited them in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barb returned home Monday after a week's visit with the family of their daughter, Mrs. J. H. Yount of Warsaw.

Mr. and Mrs. "Bud" Watson of Gasconade, Mo., have purchased the property of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Winfrey on Walnut street and expect to move this week. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Patton, who have been living there moved Monday into an apartment in the S. E. Oglesby property occupied by Mrs. Eva Gilchrist and family.

Members of the Homemakers club were entertained at the home of Miss Nadine Fisher at an all-day meeting Friday, November 15. A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed at the noon hour. Miss Bacon was a guest of the club and brought many useful suggestions for the making of Christmas gifts. A portion of the afternoon was spent doing splatter work and several of the club women took home with them very attractive finished products. The names of Mrs. F. L. Getz and Mrs. I. A. Cross were added to the list of club members.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dennis of Kansas City visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Murray.

The condition of Mrs. P. C. Watts who has been ill at her home the past few days shows slight improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rhoads attended a birthday dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Blaylock northeast of Sedalia. The occasion was in honor of Mrs. Blaylock's mother Mrs. Frank Rhoads.

Mrs. Munsey Gregory was hostess to the Friendship club at her home Thursday afternoon, Nov. 14. The program was in charge of the Public Welfare committee of which Mrs. Albert Shaw is chairman and "Health Problems" was the topic of discussion. "How We Live" was the subject presented by Mrs. H. L. McCune, who emphasized the fact that health embraces both body and mind. Mrs. Etta Reavis talked on "Dangers and Prevention of Infection." Mrs. Shawis' subject was "Postponing Old Age." In conclusion Mrs. C. N. Moore, club president gave a poem entitled "Smile." The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Mary Patton on Thursday, November 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Marshall and sons Paul, Jr., and Alan of Kansas City, were guests Sunday of Mr. Marshall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marshall.

Mrs. Ida King left Monday for a ten-days' visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hansbrough have purchased the J. H. Bobbitt property on Main street now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Houchens and family. The Hansbroughs will not move into their property before spring.

R. A. Conner, who has been in the Bothwell hospital for treatment for the past two weeks was brought to his home Monday. Mr. Conner's condition shows some improvement.

Thursday, November 14, the Nautilus club held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. R. E. Hollenbeck. The Art committee was in charge of the program with Miss Mary Anderson introducing the speakers of the afternoon. Mrs. Raymond Wasson gave a poem entitled "Thanksgiving." Mrs. C. B. Orahood reported on the work of the Girl Scouts, after which F. L. Getz, pastor of the Christian church, addressed the club on the subject "Religion in the Literary Classics."

Mrs. Ocie Wicker and daughter, Mrs. Trixie Houchen of Houstonia, visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Will Hieronymus.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Funk of Sedalia and Mrs. A. W. Hall, made a business trip to Kansas City Tuesday.

Rain is far from pure when it reaches the earth. It gathers microbes from the dust-filled air.

• Obituaries

Mrs. Gladys Wells

Mrs. Gladys Wells, 49 years old, passed away at the Bothwell hospital at 8:30 o'clock Wednesday night, following an illness of three weeks.

She was born at Todd's Point, Illinois, June 13, 1891, the daughter of the late E. H. and Tamar Herrick. She moved with her parents to La Monte when she was a small child. In 1909 she was married to Arley Wells at Sedalia and moved to the Green Ridge community where she had since resided.

She is survived by her husband, Arley Wells, one daughter, Mrs. Harold Phifer, Windsor, four brothers, Roy Herrick, Jefferson City, A. E. Herrick, Denver, Colorado; Wright Herrick, Stockton, Calif. and Jake Herrick, Sedalia; four sisters, Mrs. P. D. Schroeder and Mrs. Ray Ruger, Clamath Falls, Oregon, Mrs. B. J. Littlefield of Fresno, Calif and Mrs. Marie Anderson, Sedalia. A brother, Tom Herrick passed away three months ago.

She was a member of the Green Ridge Presbyterian church.

Funeral of Mrs. Jennie S. Downs

Funeral services for Mrs. Jennie Shelley Downs, aged 78, who passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gladys Ayres, in Los Angeles, Calif., Sunday, November 17, was held in Los Angeles Wednesday, November 20, at 11 o'clock in the morning, with Rev. Wade Lane officiating.

The body was placed in a mausoleum in Inglewood cemetery at Los Angeles.

Mrs. Mollie R. Koenig

Mrs. Mollie Rentschler Koenig, aged 73, died suddenly at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, in Nelson, Mo. She had apparently been in her usual good health.

Mrs. Koenig is survived by a son, J. W. Koenig, of Kansas City, Kas., Miss Betty Koenig, of the home and Mrs. Carl Barnert, of Boonville, also three sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Roy Grossman, of Nelson, Minnie Rentschler and John Rentschler, of Boonville and another brother, living in Cooper county.

Everette Monroe Rayl

Everette Monroe Rayl, aged 56 years, died at 4:20 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at his home, four miles southwest of La Monte. He had been ill two weeks with pneumonia.

Mr Rayl leaves his widow and the following children, Everett, Jr., Dollie, Eula and Charles of the home, Mrs. Mamie Butts, Weiser, Idaho; Mrs. Eva Reno, Sedalia; Mrs. Mollie Lee Shoemaker, Lee's Summit; Mrs. Lena Leaming, Sarcoxie; Mrs. Pauline Wright, Golden City; Ira Rayl, La Monte; Norman Rayl, Lockwood; Claude Rayl, La Monte. A son, Woodrow, died twenty-two years ago at the age of 7 months. He also leaves two grandchildren, one great grandchild, and the following sisters and brother, Mrs. Etta May Dority, Climax Springs; Mrs. Grace Irwin, Sedalia; Mrs. Mollie Witcig, Kansas City and Burley Rayl, Sedalia.

William Scheidt

William Scheidt, of California, Mo., died at the Bothwell hospital Sunday afternoon after a week's illness.

Mr. Scheidt leaves a son, two daughters, three sisters and four brothers.

Mr. Scheidt was a member of the Catholic church at California.

Charles O'Donnell

Charles O'Donnell, a former Sedalian, died Sunday at his home in Boonton, N. J., according to word received Monday by J. A. McCullough, of Dal-Whi-Mo Court, a cousin of Mrs. O'Donnell.

Mr. O'Donnell leaves his wife and four children. He was a brother of the late Mrs. Louis Rast and Al O'Donnell, both of whom died within the past few years and are buried in this city.

Explosion At Powder Plant

TACOMA, Wash., Nov. 28—(AP)—A black powder storage building at the Dupont Powder plant exploded today. Company officials said no one was injured.

A building, 30 by 40 feet, was blown to bits.

Company officials said it was isolated from the rest of the powder company by earthworks and that it was used entirely for storage purposes and that no one was inside it.

A company official, who declined use of his name, said: "We have no reason to believe the explosion was caused by sabotage."

Representative On Naturalization Coming

A representative of the naturalization department of the United States government will be in Sedalia Monday, December 2. He will be in the circuit court room, and will have hearings for three persons whose petitions have been filed.

County Courts May Compromise On Taxes

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 28.—(AP)—The attorney general's office ruled today that county courts may compromise taxes when the value of the land appears to be less than the amount of taxes due.

The opinion was requested by Roy Coyne, Jasper county prosecutor.

Turns Fugitive Before Chance To Join Army

Oral Wilson And Two Others Break Jail At Warsaw

The status of a fugitive from justice was evidently preferable to that of a soldier to Oral Wilson, 18, of Spencer, Iowa, one of three inmates of the Benton county jail at Warsaw, who escaped Tuesday night or early yesterday morning

Wilson, held on a charge of taking an automobile belonging to 'Gene Boring, Warsaw druggist, was to have been taken to Kansas City yesterday for a physical examination by army officers. He had expressed a desire to join the army and had been given assurance by Benton county officers that if he passed the examination and was accepted, all charges pending against him would be dismissed.

When Sheriff Harrison Eaton went to the jail yesterday morning to release Wilson for the trip he found not only Wilson missing, but two other inmates, Cecil Price, 22, of Sedalia and Harry Parker, 56, of Kansas City.

Howard Allen, of Lakeview Heights, also an inmate of the jail told the sheriff he slept soundly all night and knew nothing of the escape until he arose in the morning.

Wilson, Price and Parker released themselves by sawing a bar out of the jail door and digging a hole through the 18-inch jail wall, through which they crawled. Residents living near the jail report hearing a car about 3 o'clock in the morning, leading to the belief there may have been an outside accomplice.

Price, who resides on East Fourteenth street, was arrested in Sedalia last Thursday, at the request of Benton county officers, charged with making a felonious assault on a resident of Warsaw.

Parker, arrested July 31, was charged with picking the pocket of W. W. Wisdom, at a political meeting in Warsaw where Maurice Milligan was the principal speaker. His trial was set for December 12.

• Clarksburg

Mrs. Maude Albin

Mr. and Mrs. James White, John White and Mr. Taylor of Philadelphia, Mo., same Monday night to the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cobb to attend the funeral next day of Mrs. White's mother, Mrs. Rachel Cobb. They returned to Philadelphia, that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wells were guests Thursday of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bolinger near Russellville, Mo. They enjoyed a turkey dinner.

Mrs. Ethel (Leppy) Copas, who had been a resident of this town many years, until several months ago she became a patient at the county farm, passed away at that place Tuesday morning. She was buried at New Zion church, north of town, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Vanstratten and Bonnie Sue, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Donley. Mr. Donley had visited in their home at Chamois, Mo., from Sunday until Thursday when they brought him home and spent the day with their parents.

Clay Redding of Kansas City, spent the holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Redding.

Mrs. Stella Stephens attended the Baxter farm club meeting at the home of Mrs. Roy Hall, near Baxter church Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Vanstratten spent Thanksgiving day in St. Louis, guests of their brother, Fred Vanstratten and family.

Mrs. Uriah Dooley of Rock River, Wyo., is spending a few days with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fordyce Dooley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Broyles had as their Thanksgiving guests, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Albin and family of Tipton, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Broyles and family of near Flortuna; Alfred Moon of Fortuna; Mr and Mrs. Toby Lademan, California, Mo.; and Mrs. Cynthia Copas of near town. That day they received word from their son Foster, who has been in the army a number of years. He was leaving New York, where he had been stationed, for the Panama Canal.

Mr. and Mrs. Mingo Foster spent the week-end at the Lake of the Ozarks. They were accompanied by Mrs. Foster's sister, Mrs. Alpha Maxey to Versailles where she remained with another sister, Mrs. Manning Yarnell, until they returned for her Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Yarnell came home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Leonard of California spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Renshaw. The men hunted during the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Donley and family (Harvey of Warrensburg and Lela May and Mary Louise) and Mr. and Mrs. George Albin, were guests of their children, Rev. and Mrs. Denzil Albin of Latham on Thanksgiving day. The main feature of their dinner was roasted pig, cooked whole with dressing, gravy and the usual good things which would accompany a roast pig dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hunt and little daughter, spent Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. Hunt's parents at Springfield, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Golder Winebrenner returned Monday night from a Thanksgiving holiday visit with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Winebrenner of St. Louis and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eckles of Mattoon, Ill.

• La Monte

Mrs. R. E. Kerby

Mr. and Mrs. Ray O'Dell and family spent Thanksgiving in Excelsior Springs with Mrs. O'Dell's mother, Mrs. Pearl Johnson.

A family dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. Mackie Hughes Sunday honoring Mr. and Mrs. John Pennington who were married on November the 2nd, and have just returned from a wedding trip through new Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas. Mrs. Pennington previous to her marriage was Miss Jessie Hughes. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hughes and son, Chester, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Swope, Mrs. Mackie Hughes and son, Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Noland entertained the following at dinner Sunday at their home east of town: Mrs. Zora Johnson, Green Ridge, Mrs. and Mrs. Claude Arnette, Camp Branch, Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sinclair and two daughters, Ruth Elizabeth and Laura Lee, Mrs. Etta Reavis and son, Lowell, Mrs. Chas. Cramer, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Reavis and daughter Nancy Carolyn.

Arthur McCune of Sedalia spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McCune. Arthur who is a member of the 128th Field Artillery unit of National Guards will leave in about ten days for Camp Jackson, South Carolina. Until then the unit composed of 128 young men will be in training at Liberty Park, Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Davidson and daughters Mary Catherine and Betty Gayle visited from Wednesday until Sunday with friends in Hamilton and Nettleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Reavis and daughter Nancy Carolyn accompanied Mrs. Zora Johnson of Green Ridge to Bolivar Thursday where they visited Mrs. Hattie Overstreet. Mrs. Overstreet who recently underwent an operation is very much improved in health and able to resume her teaching.

John Simms and daughter Mrs. Eloise Holdmund of Kansas City visited Mrs. Ella Morris Thursday morning and accompanied by the latter were dinner guests at the Bothwell hotel.

Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker had as dinner guests for Thanksgiving Mr. and Mrs. Walker Williams and sons, Forrester and Johnny of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Keller, son Bobby and daughter Melva Rose, Misses Mamie Walker and Connie Nash.

Mrs. Mary Patton was hostess to the Tuesday Bridge club at her home Tuesday afternoon. Honors for high scoring went to Mrs. L. H. Wharton. Traveling award to Mrs. N. E. Tiegarden and low to Mrs. Dick Lambert. A plate lunch was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Craig, Mrs. Mary Craig and Mildred Gregory spent Thanksgiving day in Columbia with the family of their son, Claude Craig and their daughter, Mrs. Frank Williams and Mr. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Martin announce the arrival of a daughter at their home Tuesday night to whom they have given the name of Patricia Sue.

The birthday of Mrs. Lyman Wharton was celebrated with a party Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. L. Reynolds with the following guests: Mrs. L. H. Wharton, Mrs. Margaret Harsbrough, Mrs. C. N. Moore, Miss Juanita Wharton and Mrs. R. E. Kerby. A plate lunch was served by the hostess.

Mrs. H. L. McCune and daughter entertained at six o'clock dinner Sunday evening, Mrs. Frank Jenkins and daughter, Miss Estelle, and their guest Miss Norene Pearson of Kansas City, Virgil Ellis and Arthur McCune.

Miss Ethel Bobbutt, of Raytown, spent Thanksgiving at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bobbutt.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hieronymus had as dinner guests Friday Mrs. E. D. Cummings and grandson, Billy Cummings of Marshall, Mrs. Thos. Cornelius and daughter Jane of Versailles, Mr. and Mrs. Len Dodson and two children and Mrs. Jack Funk of Sedalia and Mrs. A. W. Hall.

Miss Ruth McCune entertained the following at bridge at her home Friday afternoon: Misses Mary Helen Meyers, Bernice Wood, Ida Cruzan, Rosemary McCloskey and Estelle Jenkins of Sedalia, Misses Angel Ihrig and Irma Griffin of Smithton.

Mrs. Minnie Downs of Kansas City spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shelley.

Mrs. Frances Brown of Chicago and Mrs. N. J. Olson of Kansas City spent Thanksgiving with their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hull and their brother Deane.

Mrs. Glenn Taggart of Lawson, Mo., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wheeler.

Mrs. Lena Rogers returned home after a few days visit with her son Russell Rogers and family in Columbia.

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Moore Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Morrison of Kansas City, Kas., and Miss Mary Grace Utley of Knob Noster.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Perkins and son Leroy, of Blue Mound, Ill., spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Perkins mother Mrs. Alice Perkins.

• Windsor

(By Mrs. W. T. Jordan)

Mrs. F. S. Oechsli, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Twyman and son Richard and as their guests Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Oechsli and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Oechsli.

Mr. and Mrs. Overtan Craig were hosts Sunday to a number of friends at a turkey dinner. Those present were Mrs. Sallie Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Neitzert, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Craig and daughters Mary Joe and Junie, and Mr. and Mrs. Dean DeCombs and son, Larry.

Frank Howard and family, of McCook, Neb., came Wednesday to visit a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Howard.

Charles Edwin Puckett and Mrs. Jennie Jones were married Saturday evening at eight o'clock at the Methodist parsonage by the Rev. E. F. Dillion. The wedding service was read before the altar of palms and white wedding bells were hung overhead. Mr. and Mrs. Puckett were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. James H. Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Marti and son.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Owsley and Mrs. R. N. Owsley received a message Saturday morning of the sudden death of Willis E. Clark of Seattle, Wash. Mr. Clark is a son-in-law of Mrs. R. N. Owsley, and with his wife were visiting in Windsor about a month ago. The funeral services were held Monday in Seattle after which his body was to be cremated.

R. E. Jordan of Nevada, Mo., en route to Jefferson City, visited a short time Friday with Mrs. W. T. Jordan and son, Jerry.

The fire department was called to the residence of Billie B. Cooper about 2:30 o'clock Friday morning. No damage was done to the property.

Richard Madison Edmondson, eighth child of Jobe and Mary Edmondson, born near Calhoun, Mo., on June 20, 1868, died at his home in Windsor November 22, after an illness of only one week. Except for about 20 years in Johnson county he spent his entire life in Henry county. At an early age he joined the High Point Baptist church. He was united in marriage to Julia Ann Hunt, January 4, 1864 and to this union were born eleven children of whom two died in infacy and one daughter Helen died in 1928. He leaves his wife and the following children: Mrs. Henry Hukill, Raymond and Clifford Edmondson of Windsor, Mrs. J. O. Cordray of Lincoln, Mo., Floyd Edmondson of Deedwood, South Dakota, Bertie of Ft. Dodge, Iowa, Mrs. Fred Holloway of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. T. M. Harrell of Carthage, Mo., also five grandchildren, Richard, Delbert and Jaunita Edmondson of Ft. Dodge, Iowa, Donald of Windsor and Mike Cordray of Lincoln and four brothers, Jim and Charles of Windsor, Grant of Calhoun and Jack of an unknown address, one half-brother of LaHarpe, Kansas, and two sisters, Lucretia Edmondson of Chilhowee, Mo., and Mrs. Deal Denning of Cushing, Okla. Services were held at the Christian church Sunday, November 24 at 3:00 •with Rev. M. L. Riley in charge. Mrs. Ira Mounts and Mrs. Ethel Mayfield and Mrs. Lois Johnston were in charge of the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winzenreid and Frederick motored to Kansas City Sunday to visit the latter's wife who is in Research hospital. Mrs. Winzenreid is much improved and was allowed to be taken for a short car ride. Carol and Doyle Winzenreid who had been visiting an aunt in the city while their mother is ill returned home with their father.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McAllister and Miss Grace Wharton were Kansas City visitors Sunday.

Bernice Robinson, of Clinton, spent Thursday night and Friday with her sister, Genevieve Robinson.

Mrs. W. T. Jordan, Mrs. H. L. Winzenreid and sons were Kansas City business visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Eva Mae Hazen Dannat was born in Happy Hollow, Ill., November 16, 1869, the daughter of Robert and Harriett Hazen. She died November 22 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Luther Farmer near Windsor. She was married to H. T. Dannatt, September 9, 1891 at Dewitt, Iowa, and to this union were born seven children, one daughter Ruby passing away in 1918. Her early life was spent in Iowa and Nebraska. The family moved to Missouri early in 1904 to the Powell vicinity where they continued to live until the death of Mr. Dannatt on July 5, 1935, when she moved to the Farmer home for a short time. Three years ago she again established her home in Calhoun. She united with the Baptist church in Iowa when a young girl and moving her membership to the Calhoun Christian church several years ago where she was a regular attendant until illness kept her away. She leaves six children, Clifford of Coffeyville, Kansas; Elmer, of Eaton, Colorado, and Lyle and Mrs. Luther Farmer of Calhoun, Mrs. Willie Neil of Holden and Mrs. Clyde Spring of Kansas City; three grandchildren, Bobby, Eugene and Ilene Dannatt. Funeral services were held at the Calhoun Christian church Sunday, November 24 by the Rev. H. E. Carpenter. A quartette composed of Mrs. Will Chipman, Ethlyn Jones, C. P. Short and M. R. Munday sang, accompanied by Mrs. Earl Majors. Pall bearers were Clay Farmer, Jack Beasley, Lewis Barrow, James Martin, Art Ketchum and Glenn Driskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Belford Jackson are parents of a son born Tuesday, November 19. He has been named Kent Ruffin Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Phillips are parents of a daughter born Tuesday, November 20 at General hospital in Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Miller are parents of a daughter born Wednesday, December 20, 1940, who has been named, Myrna Lee.

Leland Hartle of Windsor left Monday for Warsaw and he will go from there to Ft. Leavenworth, Kas., where he will be stationed with the army.

Funeral services for Mrs. J. Alexander Chipman, formerly Lucy Alice Berry, who died in Clinton, November 19, were held Friday afternoon at the Huston-Turner Funeral Chapel, Rev. E. F. Dillon conducting the service. Mrs. Frank Phifer and Mrs. Roy Milan sang "Abide With Me" and "Under His Wing."

Mrs. Chipman leaves four children, John B. Chipman, Mrs. R. E. Burcham, of Windsor, Mrs. J. B. Holcomb, Clinton and J. J. Chipman, of San Antonio, Texas. Mr. Chipman died in 1920.

• Clifton City

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Todd motored to Fulton, Saturday and spent the day with their daughter, Maxine, who is attending school there.

Gene Altermott entertained his daughter, Mrs. Lester Stone, Mr. Stone and family, and Mrs. Louis Kempf, Mr. Kempf and family of Pleasant Green, Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Add Johnson and daughter, Miss Challis Louise and Mrs. Johnson's mother, Mrs. Mollie Potter, enjoyed a turkey dinner at which twenty were seated, at the home of Mrs. W. I. Thomas, in Sedalia, Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wallace and family motored to Marshall Thursday and were guests of Mr. Wallace's brother, N. B. Wallace and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Friend, of Windsor, visited here Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marti and on Sunday they had as their guests another daughter, Mrs. O. P. Wells and Mr. Wells of Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Streit entertained the following relatives at a Thanksgiving dinner at their home Thursday: Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Cordroy and daughter, Miss Mary Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Cole and daughter Carolyn, Mrs. Will Cordry of Bunceton, Mrs Della Cordry and Mrs. Betty Cordry of Pilot Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Bernarr Bluhm of Smihton and Mrs. Anna Bidstrup.

Harold Vicks of New York City visited here several days last week with his sister, Mrs. George Harned and Mr. Harned.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schupp and daughter, Sylvia Lee attended a family dinner Thanksgiving day at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charlie Dilthey, near Bunceton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Cox and son Herbert Jr., had as their guests Thanksgiving day, Mr. and Mrs. Harmen and Miss Dorothy White, of Sedalia and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hallahan.

Mrs. Margaret Harlan who teaches the Lone Elm school near Boonville, visited the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Harlan.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knox and son Leonard, of Kansas City, visited here with Mr. Knox's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hallahan.

Clemens Reuter, who has employment in Kansas City visited the Thanksgiving holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reuter.

Miss Mary Bidstrup and brother Charlie, entertained over the week-end their brother June, of Columbia, and on Sunday another brother, Perry Bidstrup and wife of Kansas City were also guests in this home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eicholz and son Clarence, of Lake Creek, were guests of Logan Siegel and family Sunday.

Miss Mary Jeanette Higdon attended the football game at Marshall Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Johnie Long who underwent an operation at the Bothwell hospital two weeks ago was able to be brought to her home, Friday.

Bill Cooper and Earl Maples who are at a CCC camp in Marshall came home Wednesday and visited until Sunday with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cramer had as their guests last week, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Grose and Miss Jane Marie McNulty of Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wilson entertained on Thanksgiving day, Mrs. Wilson's mother and brother, Mrs. Joe Johnson, Mr. Johnson and Wm. Hayes and wife of Pleasant Green.

The Arator Homemakers club met in all day session at the home of Mrs. L. L. Wallace, Wednesday. A dinner, contributed by the members was served at the noon hour. In the afternoon the meeting was opened by repeating the club collect in unison. Mrs. John Dove, the president had charge of the business meeting which followed. Miss Dorothy Bacon of Sedalia then took charge of the meeting, demonstrating Christmas gifts which could be made easily and with little cost. The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. Clarence Wells in December, where a Christmas party will be enjoyed and gifts will be exchanged. Visitors present were: Mrs. Landes of La Monte, Mrs. Ernest Schupp, Mrs. Ad Johnson, Mrs. Mollie Potter, Mrs. C. A. Higdon and Mrs. Faran Palmer.

Plans For Playwriting Contest Made

Will Be Held In Connection With Production Event

The fact that winter months and winter evenings are coming is showing an indication of interest in the Play Writing contest, which is sponsored in connection with the county dramatics events of the extension service in Pettis county.

Although the play production contest is some 15 years of age in this county, this will be the third year for the Play Writing contest.

As last year, the classes for the contest will be: one-act comedy, one-act drama and three-act plays.

Recent information concerning one of the plays written the past year having been presented at the State Farm and Home Week, should create some new interest in this group. Those who are interested in securing suggestions of play writing from Miss Mary Paxton Keeley of Christian College, who judged the plays last year, may secure those suggestions from the county extension office.

The committee for selecting plays, to be added to the Pettis County Loan Library in the extension office, has begun work and will not only add the plays written last year but commercial plays for the use of any group interested in the county.

Mrs. Charles Romig, Mrs. Robert Rissler and Mrs. Paul Read compose that committee.

tive December 6.

The quartermaster's office here, which has a history in St. Louis dating back to 1886, at present concerns itself with the procurement of subsistence—non-perishable food—for personnel and forage for animals—hay, oats, bedding and the like.

Activities Expanded

But, in Kansas City, with its activities expanded as a result of the national defense program, the depot will deal with enormous quantities of practically all the non-technical items required by the army for its forts, cantonments and other centers in 10 states.

These states are: Missouri, Kansas, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Wyoming, Colorado, Oklahoma, Arkansas and the eastern part of Utah, comprising portions of the 7th, 8th and 9th army corps areas. Several of the states at present are served by quartermaster corps depots in other cities.

In addition to subsistence and forage, Col. Blake said the new Kansas City office would handle the purchase of clothing, equippage (personal wearing apparel other than clothing), office supplies and general supplies, including light and heavy hardware, mess and stove equipment and thousands of other articles.

Purchases CCC Supplies

The quartermaster's depot also purchases supplies for civilian conservation corps camps in part of its territory.

The new center probably will take over a part or supplement the buying now done on a national scale by specific depots, such as Boston for shoes and Jeffersonville for tentage.

Army purchases are made by bids but Col. Blake said increased operations might necessitate handling some transactions through negotiation. He did not envision loss of business for any concern now engaged in meeting the army's needs.

It was this fear of losing about $3,000,000 a year in business that prompted the St. Louis chamber of commerce to make an ineffectual protest against removal of the quartermaster's office.

The army medical depot, which is to be expanded greatly, will remain here, Col. Blake said.

Petition to Vacate Road Is Nullified

A petition and remonstrance relative to vacating a public road in Blackwater township was taken under consideration by the county court. It was found that several of the signers on the petition had signed the remonstrance also, therefore the whole proceedings were nullified.

Files Divorce Petition Wednesday Afternoon

Roy Bradbury filed a petition for divorce on grounds of general indignities, late Wednesday afternoon in the office of the circuit clerk against Zola Bradbury. The couple has two children, one 17 and the other 18 years of age. W. W. Blain is attorney for the plaintiff.

Granted a Divorce

A divorce was granted in circuit court yesterday by Judge Dimmitt Hoffman, to Minnie May Smith from Dan Smith. General indignities were alleged in the petition.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Elmer Pendleton and Louise Ousley, both of Sedalia.

Harry Schick and Elsie R. Miller, both of Sedalia.

Two Suits Dismissed

Two suits filed by the Sweet Springs Drainage district, one against William Owen, the other against John H. Owen et al, have been dismissed in the circuit court.

Cattle and Grain Market

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 21,000; slow, mostly 10 to 15 cents lower than Wednesday's average; top $6.20; most early sales good and choice 210 to 320 pound butchers $6.00 to $6.15; 180 to 210 pounds generally $5.90 to $6.10; most 150 to 170 pound underweights $5.50 to $5.75; good 330 to 500 pound packing sows $5.40 to $5.65; few lighter weights up to $5.75.

Cattle 5,500; calves 800; fed steers and yearlings steady; several loads held off show steers held around $15.00; best commercial fed steers $14.40 early; numerous loads $11.50 to $13.50; short feds at $10.50 down moving slowly; fed heifers strong; prime offerings to $13.25; several loads $12.00 to $12.65; all cows 10 to 15 cents higher; cutters very active selling up to $6.00; bulls steady and vealers 25 cents higher; strictly choice vealers $11.50 weighty sausage bulls to $7.35; replacement cattle in moderate demand; bulk medium to good offerings $8.00 to $8.75 with good and choice yearlings mostly $9.50 to $10.25.

Sheep 6,000; fat lambs opening steady with Wednesday's average; early sales good to choice fed westerns $9.50 to $9.65; early top $9.65; deck good to choice native shorn lambs $8.40; other classes scarce; few natives fat ewes up to $4.50.

St. Louis Live Stock

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Nov. 28.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 14,000; market 10 to 15 cents lower; sows 5 to 10 cents lower; good and choice 200 to 300 pounds $6.15 to $6.20; top $6.20; 160 to 190 pounds $5.75 to $6.15; 140 to 160 pounds $5.25 to $5.80; 100 to 140 pounds $4.25 to $5.30; off quality and southern kinds discounted; good sows $5.50 to $6.05.

Cattle 3,500; calves 1,500; steer supply light, less than 20 cars offered; little done early; butcher yearlings opening steady; cowstuff active and firm; bulls unchanged; vealers 50 cents higher most beef cows $5.50 to $6.25 canners and cutters $4.00 to $5.25; top sausage bulls $6.75; top vealers $12.00; nominal range slaughter steers $6.50 to $13.75; slaughter heifers $6.00 to $12.25; stocker and feeder steers $5.75 to $10.50.

Sheep 2,500; receipts mostly trucked in; market opjened about steady; good to choice native lambs to shippers and small killers $9.25 to $9.50; short deck choice native lambs to shippers and small killers $9.25 to $9.50; short deck choice foll clipped $9.00; on early action on packer accounts.

Kansas City Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 28.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 3,300, uneven, good to choice 200 to 270 pounds to shippers steady with Wednesday's average at $6.00 to $6.05; top $6.05; later steady to 10 cents lower at $5.95 to $6.00 on good to choice 190 pounds and over; some 140 to 160 pounds $5.25 to $5.75; sows steady to strong; bulk $5.65 to $5.75; few choice light weights $5.85; stock pigs steady at $5.00 down.

Cattle 600, calves 200; fed steers and yearlings fairly active, steady to strong; other killing classes comparatively scarce, steady to weak on fat cows, otherwise fully steady; stockers and feeders unchanged; good to choice 1,047 pound steers $12.25; most short fed $8.50 to $10.25; choice vealers up to $11.00.

Sheep 1,600; lambs strong, sheep steady; early top fed lambs $9.40; others $9.35; best natives held above $9.50; Colorado ewes $4.35.

Chicago Grain Table

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—(AP)—

	High	Low	Close Thurs.	Close Wed.
WHEAT—				
Dec	.89½	.88	.89¼	.88
May	.87½	.86⅛	.87	.86⅜
July	.83½	.82⅜	.83	.82½
CORN—				
Dec	.64¼	.63⅜	.63⅝	.63½
May	.63	.62¼	.62⅜	.62¼
July	.62¾	.62⅛	.62¼	.62⅛
OATS—				
Dec	.39½	.38¾	.39¼	.38⅞
May	.37¼	.36⅞	.37	.36⅜
July	.33½	.33	.33	.32¾
SOYBEANS—				
Dec	$1.00¼	.99¼	.99¾	.99½
May	.98	.97	.97⅜	.97½
July	.96¼	.95½	.95½	.96
RYE—				
Dec	.44¾	.43¾	.44¼	.44¼
May	.49¼	.48½	.48⅞	.48¾
July	.50⅜	.49⅝	.50	.48⅞

St. Louis Grain Market

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 28.—(AP)—Cash: Wheat: eceipts 13 cars, sold 5 cars, 1 to 1¼ cents higher; No. 2 red 94¼c; No. 2 light garlicky 90½c to 92c; No. 4, 89¾c.

Corn: Receipts 25 cars, sold 12 cars, ½ to 1 cent higher, No. 2 yellow 64c to 66½c; No. 3, 64¾c to 66¼c; No. 4, 63¾c; No. 2 white 70½c; No. 3, 66½c.

Oats Receipts 1 car, none sold, no quotations.

Kansas City Cash Grain

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 28.—(AP)—Wheat 23 cars, unchanged to 1 cent higher. No. 2 dark hard 85c to 86c; No. 3, nominally 82¼c to 85¼c; No. 2 hard 85c to 85¼c; No. 3, nominal 82¼c to 85¼c; No. 2 red, nominally 83¼c to 86¼c; No. 3, 84c.

Close: Dec. 82⅜c; May 81¼c; July 77⅛c.

Corn: 14 cars, ½ cent lower to ½ cent higher. No. 2 white, nominally 63¾c to 64¼c; No. 3, nominally 61¼c to 63¾c; No. 2 yellow, nominally 60¾c to 62¼c; No. 3, 61c; No. 2 mixed, nominally 60¼c to 61¾c; No. 3, nominally 58¾c to 60¾c.

Close: Dec. 59⅝c; May 58⅝c; July 53⅜c.

Oats: 1 car, unchanged to ¾ cent higher. No. 2 white, nominally 38¼c to 39½c; No. 3, nominally 37¼c to 39c.

Milo maize, nominally 84c to 91c.

Kafir⅛ nominally 84c to 91c.

Rye, nominally 51c to 52c.

Barley, nominally 46c to 53c; sales No. 5, 46c.

Chicago Poultry

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—(AP)—Poultry live, 1 car in; 28 trucks; hens and springs firm; ducks and geese easy; springs, under 4 pounds, colored 14½c; Plymouth Rock 15½c; White Rock 15½c; ducks, 4½ pounds up, white 12c; small colored 9½c; small white 9½c; geese, over 12 pounds 11c; other prices unchanged.

St. Louis Produce

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 28.—(AP)—Poultry: Broilers (2 pounds and under) White Rocks 17c; Plymouth Rocks 16c.

Other produce unchanged.

Kansas City Produce

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 28.—(AP)—Eggs, 27c; current receipts, 25c.

Hens, 8½c to 13½c. Others unchanged.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—(AP)—Butter: Receipts 640,263; steady; market unchanged.

Eggs: Receipts 3,804; firm; ¾ refrigerator extras 21½c; refrigerator standards 21¼c; other prices unchanged.

Program Given At Club Meeting

The Bowling Green Community club met in regular session Friday at the hall in Beaman. After the group sang America and the Battle Hymn of the Republic, the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Frank Summers, chairman of the Homemakers committee who sponsored the program.

Mrs. Summers presented C. E. Ferguson, who presided, when the following program was given by the Dresden club:

Piano solo, "Humoresque," Mrs. D B. Edwards.

Play, "What's Keeping Laura?"—Ruth Romig, Patty Whitfield, Joan Kenzie, Sadie Alice Whitfield.

Reading, "Rehearsal"—Katherine Kenzie.

Radio skit—Don Silsby, Byron Oswald.

Vocal solo, "Only Forever"—Mrs. Joe Whitfield, accompanied by Mrs. D. B. Edwards on the piano.

Reading — Sadie Alice Whitfield.

Piano solo, "Home Sweet Home With Variations"—Mrs. D. B. Edwards.

Reading "A Yankee in Love"—Mildred Lowrey.

Vocal solo, "When The Swallows Come Again to Capistrano"—Mrs. Joe Whitfield.

J. U. Morris was present and spoke on extension and Farm Bureau work.

Burglarize Bank Of About $4,000

BIRCH TREE, Mo., Nov. 27.—(AP)—Burglars used an acetylene torch to cut open the safe and vault of the Bank of Birch Tree some time last night and escaped with money and valuable papers.

D. C. Bowden, cashier, said the burglars forced a window but that the burglary was not discovered until the bank was opened for business today. He said everything in the bank was left untouched pending arrival of highway patrolmen who were asked to take over the investigation.

"The burglars," he said, "apparently took all the money they could find." The bank officials announced after a preliminary check the loss would be around $4,000.

The bank, organized in 1929, according to a recent statement had approximately $35,000 on hand and due from other banks. It is capitalized at $15,000 and deposits were listed in that statement at $110,000.

Autos Damaged In Collision Tuesday

Slight damage resulted to two cars in an automobile collision at Third street and Kentucky avenue about 6 o'clock Tuesday night. One car, a 1931 Chevrolet sedan, driven by Mrs. Whitley Wo

C. F. Scotten Addresses PTA Council

Varied Program Is Given At Regular County Meeting

Training for personal efficiency, human relationship, economic efficiency and civic responsibility are recently formulated educational objectives which were explained by C. F. Scotten, county superintendent of schools, in an address to the Pettis County Council of Parent-Teacher associations on Tuesday. His explanation of the in service training of the teaching staff and the guidance of the individual child were of much interest to the group of rural school patrons.

In following the year's program, "Know your school and community," Mrs. William Reed, county council president, presented Miss Mary Beth Kesterson and her pupils of Mosby school in a book week original dramatization. This unit of work showed further the modern teacher's part as a director of child's learning for the script contained original dialogue, songs, and poems with the singing of "God Bless America" as a final number. This presentation of class room work showed the result of skilled teaching and was enjoyed by the group.

Program Presented

Books — A Magic Carpet.

Original Playlet, Mosby school. Teacher, Mary B. Kesterson.

Bible Stories, Maude and Mischa Peterson.

Luther's Cradle Hymn, Elmer Van Dyke.

Hans Brinker, or the Silver Skates, Boys of the Zuider Zee, Howard Brown, Dennis Nichols, Billy Franklin.

Autobiography, Will James.

Home On The Range, Leroy Van Dyke. Paul Brown.

Tom Sawyer, Mark Twain Dialogue—Tom and Huck Finn, Gerald Brown, Elbert Van Dyke.

Missouri Waltz, Eldon Leiter, Esther Leiter.

Tales of a Chinese Grandmother Chinese Vegetable Man, June Cramer.

White Indian Boy — Indian Lullaby, Bonnie Mosby and Betty Mosby.

Lincoln, the Boy, Carl Sandburg.

Hats Off, Howard Brown.

God Bless America, Ira Hensley, Betty J. Brown, Donald Mosby and the school.

Creative Art Display

Miss Mary Sue Campbell, art supervisor in the county, had arranged an attractive display of different types of creative art work done by pupils under her direction in the county. The display included murals, soap carving, posters, animal drawings and Christmas cards. The council plans to continue school work exhibits at their meetings.

Following a round table discussion of the hot lunch program in the rural schools, Miss Reba Gumm, county health nurse outlined a proposed sanitation program for the rural schools. She demonstrated equipment which could be used for the Hot Jar method of school lunches. With the assistance of Miss Schmidt, nurse trainee, a demonstration of a splendid type of hand washing drill was given.

Baby Health Bill

Mrs. M. E. Green, Sedalia district president, called the attention of the group to a baby health bill which is to be introduced in a future session of the Missouri State legislature. The vote of the council approving such a measure on Tuesday seems to be the first from any organized group in Pettis county according to the literature sent out by the sponsors of the bill.

The group enjoyed their new meeting place in the basement of the Fifth Street Methodist church. A contributed luncheon was served at the noon hour.

The unit reports showed added support of the discussion groups on topics of child welfare. Mrs. P. R. Burford. in discussing the Standard of Excellence goals, urged the need of promptness in sending in membership dues by December 1. Mrs. Paul Zink told of a play sponsored by the Sedalia council to be given later in the Smith-Cotton auditorium.

Additional copies of the Sedalia District Bulletin are available in Mr. Scotten's office. The November copy has a listing of Reading Circle books for social studies of the "A" class.

The January meeting of the council will be on Tuesday the twenty-first. A discussion of school finances will be given by Mrs. Lawson McCurdy, school clerk of the Smelser school.

Jury Awards $60 To C. H. Williams

A jury in the circuit court on Tuesday awarded $60 to Chas. H Williams for damages which he claimed in a suit filed against James E. Noel and Cecil Noel The plaintiff asked $70 damages. the price of a cow which he alleged was killed by a truck owned by Noel and driven by Cecil.

Marriage License Issued

Harold C. Copas and Virginia Reed, both of Sedalia.

Medical Reserve Officers Examine



Lieutenant Colonel James W. Graham, Kansas City, center. Captain Albert Lieberman, Jr., of Kansas City, to the left and Lieutenant James O. Smith, Clinton, right, all members of the United States Medical Reserve Corp who are in charge of the physical examinations of the members of the National Guards who were mobilized into services of the National Guards of the United States today.

The three officers will probably be in Sedalia for several days before the completion of the examination of the 248 members of the guards to be encamped at the Convention Hall, Liberty Park for the next ten days.

•Sweet Springs

Mrs. Waldo Andrew

Mrs. Mary Dee Barnes, of Iowa, spent the past week with her uncle, E. H. Berry and Mrs. Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Briggs Harriman, of Adrain and Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and son and Miss Georgette Dierking, of Warrensburg, spent Thanksgiving here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dierking.

Miss Marionette Milton who attends business college at Chillicothe, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her mother, Mrs. Lennox Crockett and family.

Mrs. Mora Terrell and sons Grant Beverly and Henry, of Warrensburg, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hagan.

A. W. Chatham and daughter Lillian, of Warrensburg, and Miss Dorothy Larson of Lee's Summit, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Chatham and Mrs. W. E. Andrew.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson of Arange, Calif., who has been visiting their nieces Misses Kate and Dollie Andrew and Mrs. N. Y. Yankee, returned to their home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reavis, of Kansas City,, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reavis, of Tulsa, Okla., and Mrs. Margaret Reavis of Jefferson City, came Wednesday evening to remain until Sunday called by the death of their sister, Mrs. F. H. Tisdale.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. G'Sell and their daughter, Mrs. Thomas Stuerke spent Saturday in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Berry, Mrs. E H. Berry, Mrs. A. E. Stuerke and Mrs. Glen Barnes spent Saturday in Independence with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gallowoy.

Mrs. Richard Wall is spending this week in St. Louis with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Waite.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jackson and daughters, Nancy and Catherine and Mrs. Mollie Alford spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Perry, Mo.

Thomas Stuerke, Elmer Mueller and Corda Bray spent Sunday on the Missouri river.

Mrs. B. T. Bellamy who has been ill is much improved.

Mrs. F. B. McGrew assisted by Mrs. Fred Scherer entertained circle number one of the Christian church at her home Tuesday afternoon. The leader, Mrs. Raymond Widder had charge of the business period and Mrs. J. F. Jarvis of the devotional.

At the same time Mrs. E. H. Berry assisted by Mrs. R. L. Shackelford entertained circle No. two with Mrs. Howard Reavis the leader in charge of the business session.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. John and son Maurice and daughter Sarah Louise.

Mr. and Mrs. William Weisenberger and Mrs. Gertrude Norman were guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. James Stallings and son, Hunter of Elmwood.

• Ionia

Mrs. Homer Howe

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Robinson had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Hal Haggard and children of Sweet Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Nicholson and family of Sedalia and Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Miller and children.

Mrs. Wm. H. Keuper had as dinner guests on Thanksgiving day Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Argenbright, Mr. and Mrs. John Ahlers, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Keuper, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schenewark and Anneta Schenewark.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bormann purchased the residence of the late Mrs. B. L. Hartle, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Neil and son Dennis Ray, attended a family dinner at the home of Mrs. Neil's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wood at Sweet Springs Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Maude Butterworth of Sedalia, came Wednesday to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her cousin, Mrs. Homer Howe and Mr. Howe. On Thanksgiving day the Howes and their guest attended a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Proctor of Green Ridge.

Iris Helen Neil the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Neil of Ft. Lyons, had her tonsils removed Friday. Iris Helen and her mother will stay at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Neil.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Myers and daughter Dorothy, ate Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs. Myers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas of Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Brown, Lucille and Kenneth Brown of California, Mo., attended the Methodist turkey supper Thanksgiving eve and were dinner guests on Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown of Windsor.

John D. Friedley who is attending a mechanical school in Kansas City, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Friedley.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Williams entertained at a turkey dinner on Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Goetz and Betty Sue Rapp of Cole Camp; Mr. and Mrs. Clay Williams and daughter, Patricia of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Williams and sons J. D., Junior and David Martin and Miss Ozetta Williams of the home.

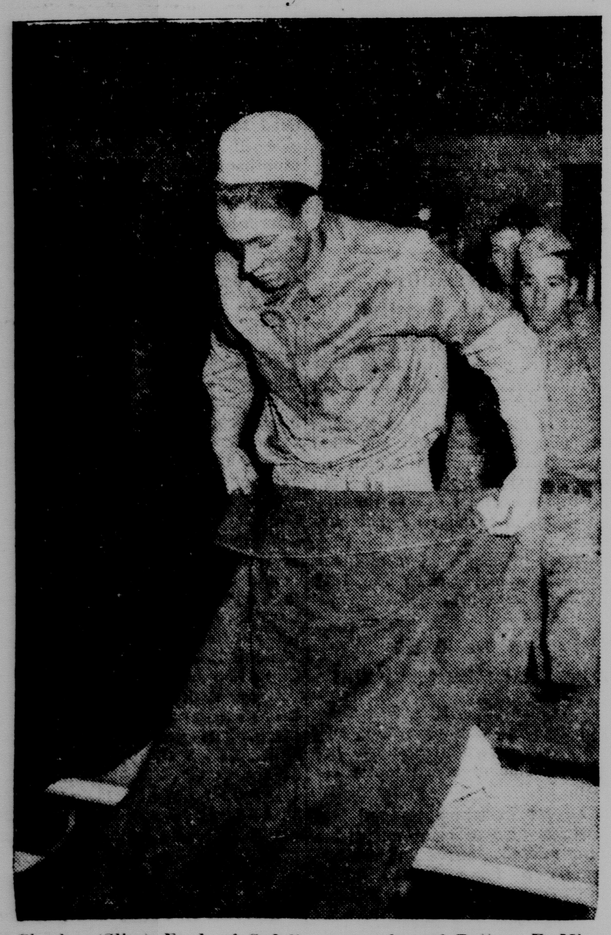
Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Neil had as dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Ransdell and daughter Wilma Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Neil and son Dennis Ray

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Marsh had as dinner guests Thanksgiving day Mrs. Marsh's daughter, Mrs. Leonard Myer, Mr. Meyer and their daughter Patricia of Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Ragar and family spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Ragar's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Miller of Palo.

Dr. Willard Nixon of Jefferson City visited over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Nixon.

He's In The Army Now



Charles (Slim) Ford, of Sedalia, a member of Battery F. Missouri National Guard, makes up his bed at Convention Hall, Liberty Park, where the guardsmen are temporarily quartered.

Insurance Co. Turned Over To State Office

'Central States' Is Declared Insolvent; Ask For Receiver

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 26—(AP)— A court order turning over to the Missouri State Insurance Department the management of the Central States Life Insurance Co., which has about $60,000,000 of insurance in force, was granted here today.

It followed the filing of a petition for a receiver by State Superintendent of Insurance Ray B. Lucas, alleging the company is insolvent and further transaction of business by it will be hazardous to policy holders, creditors and the public.

The company has home offices in St. Louis.

Almost simultaneously Alfred Fairbank, president of the company, issued a statement saying the company would consent to appointment of Lucas as agent to take charge of its affairs.

Circuit Judge Joseph J. Ward also granted Lucas his plea for a restraining order to prevent the company from continuing business, but did not act on the superintendent's request for a decree of dissolution.

In its answer admitting insolvency and impairment of its capital stock fund, the company said it was uninformed as to the extent of the insolvency and asked the court to determine the amount.

Counsel for the insurance department state there were three possible courses open—rehabilitation of the company by the department, reinsurance of its business or liquidation.

Superintendent Lucas said he had had the present action under consideration for more than a year.

Too Much In Real Estate

Central States was not mismanaged, Lucas said, but had put too much money in real estate years ago. Beginning in 1939, he continued, the executive officers voluntarily took salary cuts which resulted in an annual saving of about $10,000.

The insurance company's largest asset is the 29-story Park Plaza hotel in St. Louis' fashionable west end residential district. It was taken over under foreclosure in February, 1937, and carried on the Central State's books at $3,600,000.

A financial statement of the company as of last December 31 listed assets at $19,980,131. Of this amount, $6,771,978, more than one-third was in real estate and $5,482,097 in mortgage loans.

Fairbank, who became president in 1938 in a reorganization of the management, said all of the company's present real estate and mortgage holdings were owned before the present management took charge.

Lucas declined to make public at this time the amount of the insolvency as found by his examiners.

He said all death claims would be paid in full and he would do his best to look out for all other interests of the 30,000 policy holders.

Gives Up Claim To Presidency

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 27—(AP)—General Juan Andreu Almazan last night apparently forestalled possibility of a revolution in Mexico when he formally renounced all claims to "the honored office of president to which he said, "The people were good enough to elect me last July 7".

Almazan, independent presidential candidate who has consistently refused to concede his defeat by the administration candidate General Manuel Avila Camacho, arrived here late today by plane from the United States.

He declared in the prepared statement issued at his home soon afterward that the United States' decision to send Vice-President Henry A. Wallace to the Avila Camacho inauguration Dec. 1 had prompted his own renunciation.

Enough?

The United States has a known unmined supply of bituminous coal sufficient to meet normal demand for the fuel for the next 2000 years.

Schools Given Awards In Parade Held

Georgetown First For Rural With Broadway In City

The Broadway school and the Georgetown school floats were the winners of the first prizes in the city and rural school classes respectively, in the Chamber of Commerce sponsored Christmas parade held in Sedalia Tuesday afternoon. Each school received $20 in cash.

"United We Stand: Divided We Fall" was the theme of the Broadway school float. Miss Edythe Couey, a member of the faculty, represented the goddess of Liberty, and riding behind the float were pupils on bicycles, each one representing a state or possession of the United States.

The Georgetown school float was a winter scene, the whole enclosed with a small white picket fence.

Many Attractive Floats

There were so many attractive floats, symbolical of the season, and the school enrollments in attractive and symbolical costumes, that the judges had difficulty in selecting the winners. Old Santa Claus, most ably represented by Hugo Sparn, was surrounded by a group of little girls, pupils of Miss Lylian Hurley's dancing class, was greeted with applause by the crowds that thronged the sidelines.

Other schools winning prizes were as follows:

(Sedalia) Mark Twain, second place and Whittier third; (Out-of-town) Lookout school second place and Prairie Ridge, third. The second place prize in both divisions was $10.00; third place was $5.

In the enrollment contest the following prizes were awarded: (Sedalia) Jefferson, first place, Horace Mann, second, and Washington, third; (Out-of-town) High Point, first place, Centerview, second and Dunbar, third. Prizes in the enrollment contest were $10, $5, and $2.50 respectively The Sedalia Chamber of Commerce made all of the awards.

Smoker Given For Guardsmen

Jack Reuter and George Meyers, who are in the 128th Field Artillery of the Missouri National Guard, which departs for Camp Jackson, near Columbia, S. C., on December 5, were tendered a smoker Sunday evening at the Elks club house attended by a group of fellow workers on the Democrat and Capital on which they have been employed.

The evening was enjoyed in various amusements and during its course a lunch was served.

Safe Crackers Get $416 In Loot

CARTHAGE, Mo., Nov. 25.—(AP)—Nitroglycerine was used by burglars to blow open the safe of the Farmers Exchange, a unit of the Missouri Farmers Association, near the heart of the Carthage business district during the night.

Fred Demott, manager, said the loss was $416 including $193 in checks.

Manila Go-Getter Club Organized

The Manila Go-Getter 4-H club was organized at the Manila school house Friday afternoon, William Murphy, assistant county agent aiding in forming the organization.

Officers elected were, president, Velma Riecke; vice-president, Kathryn Hampton; secretary and treasurer, Frances Englehart; song leader, Leslie Rothenberger; recreation leader, Robert Adair; reporter, Erma Lee Hunter.

After election of officers the members met in groups to discuss projects.

The next meeting will be the first Friday in December.

Will of C. D. Bower Filed for Probate

The will of the late Clifford D. Bower, who died July 23, has been filed in the probate court. He left $1 to each, his son Porter Leroy Bower and his daughter, Flora Grace Bower, and the remainder of his estate to his wife, Ida Bower, whom he named executrix.

The will was made in Major county, Okla., September 22, 1917.

Debunked

Contrary to popular belief, March 17th is the anniversary of the day on which St. Patrick is supposed to have died, not the anniversary of his birth.

National Guard Officers Who Were Kept Busy



Executive Officer Major James E. Norlin of the Second Battalion Staff is seated discussing the mobilization orders for the day with other officers, left to right: Captain Harry O. Berry, commander of Headquarters Battery, First Lieutenant Russell Mann of Clinton and First Lieutenant Eugene Wolf of Sedalia, both members of the Second Battalion staff.

Members of National Guards Waiting Orders



A group of young men who are now members of the National Guards of the United States, standing in line waiting orders from their officers as to what duties they will do next. The men are being assigned uniforms and they undergo their physical examination.

The young man at the extreme left of the picture appears to be either bored with the proceedure or the hour of 7:30 o'clock in the morning was a little early for getting around.

Farewell Party For Captain John C. 'Jack' McLaughlin



Sunday night a group of thirty-six friends of Captain and Mrs. McLaughlin gathered together at the Sedalia Country club for a farewell turkey dinner in honor of Captain McLaughlin, who yesterday was mobilized into the services of the National Guards of the United States.

Those who are pictured at the honor table are from left to right: Frank Hayes, toastmaster, Mrs. McLaughlin, Captain McLaughlin, Mrs. J. C. Griffin, Philip McLaughlin, brother of the Captain, Mrs. Harold Dean, Donald Davenport faces the camera, while J. C. Campbell and Mrs. Howard Roberts have their backs to the camera.

Guardsmen Inducted Into Service of U. S.

Examinations By Army Officers Are Being Conducted

Members of the Missouri National Guard units in Sedalia, Headquarters Battery, the Combat Battery and Battery F., 128th Field Artillery, at 8 o'clock this morning were inducted into the National Guards of the United States, when they mobolized at the guard armory on West Second street.

Immediately after the orders of mobilization were read, the members of the various batteries began to receive their medical examinations before the Medical Examining Board headed by Lieutenant Colonel James W. Graham, Medical Reserve officer, of Kansas City.

Other officers of the board who are busy examining the youths are Captain Albert Lieberman, Jr., Medical Reserve, Kansas City, and First Lieutenant James O. Smith, Medical Reserve, Clinton.

Up until late this afternoon none had been rejected because of failure to meet physical requirements and those who have already been informed of being passed appeared joyous. Others who were still standing in line waiting to be examined had that "wonder look" in their eyes.

The Second Battalion staff officers, present yesterday were Executive Officer Major James E. Norlin of Sedalia, Captain William A. Johnson of Boonville, Captain Earl W. Bacon of Columbia, Lieutenant Eugene Wolf of Sedalia and Lieutenant Russell A. Mann of Clinton.

Fed At Park

At the noon hour the National Guardsmen were taken to Liberty Park where field kitchens have been set and received their first meal as members of the National Guards of the United States. As the boys passed their examinations they went to the hall where they prepared to get under training for the next year.

All guardsmen will be fed their breakfast, dinner and supper at convention hall and many of those will sleep at the hall. It was said several of the members who reside in Sedalia and are married will have an opportunity to sleep at their homes but must be on the "line" in time for roll call.

Captain Harry O. Berry, of Headquarters Battery accounted for every man in his Battery and the combat unit, as did First Lieutenant Patrick Handley of Battery F.

Two Privates of Battery F were omitted from the list of members in the paper Sunday morning. They were Privates Oliver Hunter Jr., and Joseph C. Frownfelter.

Ship Carrying 1771 Homeless Jews Explodes

Sinks In Harbor At Haifa; Loss Of Life Undetermined

HAIFA. Palestine, Nov. 26—(AP)—The refugee steamer Patria, packed to the gunwales with 1,771 wandering, homeless Jews, exploded and capsized in Haifa harbor Monday with an undetermined but possibly heavy loss of life.

The refugees, who had sought illegally to settle in Palestine, had been placed aboard for transportation to some other British colony for the duration of the war.

Undetermined Cause

Cause of the explosion was not determined.

Many managed to swim ashore, but an official announcement said that "some casualties" were feared.

The refugees had been aboard the ship since last Thursday, waiting to start their voyage as soon as authorities deemed conditions in the Mediterranean to be reasonably safe.

(Jewish immigration to Palestine was forbidden in June, 1939, when the British colonial secretary asserted there was an organized attempt to thwart the usual immigration quota law.)

The Patria was an 11,885-ton French freight and passenger vessel recently taken over by Britain.

(The refugees, mostly from Austria, Slovakia, Bohemia, Hungary and Rumania, reached Haifa early in November. They had sailed from an unidentified Black Sea port.

(British authorities were reported to have held their ships unseaworthy and arranged to transport the refugees elsewhere on the Patria.

(In August, 1939, there was a refugee incident at nearby Tel Aviv which contained some particulars paralleing the present case. At that time, the 1,000-ton ship Paita, with 870 Jewish refugees aboard, was run aground at Tel Aviv by her all-Jewish crew after various Mediterranean ports had refused her entrance. The passengers were interned).

Divorce Is Petitioned

Arlie Edgar Hubbard filed suit for divorce in circuit court yesterday from Mary Hubbard. The petition alleges general indignities. They were married November 28, 1927 and separated in October of 1936.

SMITHTON

Turkey Dinner For Birthday Of Betty Quint

Schoolmates Of Miss Monsees Are Guests At Repast

Mrs. R. R. Lujin

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Ryland and small son of Independence, Cecil Morgan of Kansas City, and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Coarsen, of Florence, were guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams and daughter, Ruth Evelyn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rissler had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mrs. Elizabeth Thomas, Mrs. H. Tevebaugh, Hughesville, Mr. and Mrs. Norton Batchelder and Maude Davis. They were joined in the afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rissler and daughters of Sedalia.

Robin Stockman had the misfortune to tear the muscles in his heel Tuesday evening and is getting about on crutches.

David Lee White, who has had employment in Kansas City now has employment with an aircraft factory at Wichita, Kas.

Miss Irene Monsees, student at Central college, Fayette, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kalo Monsees. She was accompanied by Miss Helen Dunham, of Callao, Mo., a schoolmate. On Saturday evening Miss Monsees entertained the following schoolmates at dinner Misses Ruth and Frances Brunkhorst of Sedalia, Ann Goodin, Charleston, Mo., and Gwendolyn Kirk, Sikeston, Mo. Others were: Misses Mary D and Nancy Kay Monsees, Mr. and Mrs. Kalo Monsees.

Van Ray White, son of Mrs. Leah White, and George A. Monsees, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Monsees who enlisted in the U. S. Air Corps on November 8, were called for duty and left Friday for Jefferson Barracks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Verts and Olin Klein, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lewis of Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Keefer, who have been visiting here the past month, left Friday for Detroit, Mich.

Rev. E. J. Weiss and family, left Wednesday for Harlengen, Tex., to visit his brother, Rev. Paul Weiss and his mother.

Weldon Harris, mathematic and music instructor in the high school here, sprained his ankle Tuesday evening while playing basketball.

Mrs. Avis Zollinger moved to Sedalia Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Farris of daughter, Mrs. William Green and LaMonte spent Monday with their Mr. Green.

The Story Point club met with Mrs. Melvin May Thursday afternoon.

Miss Adda Bidstrup of St. Louis spent the weekend with her sister and family Mrs. Virgil Quint and her parents Mrs. B. I. Bidstrup. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Bidstrup served a turkey dinner in honor of their granddaughter Miss Betty Quint's birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Quint and daughter Betty, Miss Adda Bidstrup, Miss Anita Hedgecock, John and Otto Homan.

Mrs. Anna Bidstrup of Denver, Colo., was a guest in the Virgil Quint home Sunday night.

Mrs. George Green accompanied Mr. and Mrs. William Green to Kansas City Thursday to spend the day.

Mrs. Betty Terpening has been confined to her home this past week nursing an injured foot, which she mashed while working about her home.

Mrs. Rose Wilborn of Pomona, Calif., was a guest of Mrs. Anna Hoerman Monday, also made calls on several friends while here.

The ladies of the Christian church met at the home of Mrs. William Yeager and spent the day sewing, making articles for the church bazaar.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Daniels and daughter Joan spent Sunday with relatives in Versailles. His mother Mrs. Melinda Daniels accompanied them home for a visit.

Sparks from a train set fire to a pasture belonging to Charles Lamm Monday. The high wind caused the fire to spread rapidly, burning some trees and a large amount of wood located between the homes of Charles Lamm and Hunter Cline on highway 50. Help was called and the fire was extinguished before reaching either house.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stober, Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Neumeyer were Sunday dinner guests in the A. F. Neumeyer, Sr., home.

Mrs. Gusta Kreiling of Sedalia spent last week with her sister, Mrs. August Klein. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Will Swenk and Mrs. Kreiling of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Klein attended the funeral of Mrs. George Kreiling of Hollywood, Calif. The funeral was held at Hopewell church, near Barnett, Mo., burial in Hopewell cemetery.

Twenty-five members of the Never Fail club met Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wagenknecht. Refreshments of sandwiches, pie and coffee were served.

It takes 14,000 tons of ore to produce one ounce of radium, valued at $70,000.

ALL 'ROUND 4-H'ER



MISSOURI'S "all-around" 4-H Club girl, Margot Manetzke, 18, of Eureka, St. Louis county, is named by Helen L. Church, state club agent, to receive an all-expense trip to the 19th National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago Nov. 29-Dec. 7. * * * She has a superior 10 year record in homemaking projects, which comprise decorating and furnishing her bedroom, sewing 41 garments, canning 894 pints of fruits and vegetables, and preparing 38 meals and 157 dishes. The girl won seven trips to state round-ups and $40.25 on her exhibits which raise her project value to $403.85. * * * A champion for each of the four extension sections and for two at large will be announced at the Chicago conclave, where they will be awarded $200 scholarships given by Montgomery Ward, donor also of trips for state winners. * * * The contest, held for the 18th year, is conducted in cooperation with the extension service to broaden the interest and knowledge of 4-H girls in home arts.

To Give Governor An Oil Portrait

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 25—(AP)—An oil portrait of himself will be Gov. Lloyd C. Stark's parting gift from his official appointees who served with him during his four-year administration which ends in January.

More than 20 state department heads called at the executive mansion yesterday to notify Stark of the gift. It will be painted by Charles F. Galt of St. Louis and hung in the New Stark home near Louisiana alongside a portrait of Mrs. Stark by the same artist. Galt also painted the portrait of Mrs. Stark which hangs in the executive mansion.

The presentation of the gift was made at the mansion yesterday during a double celebration of the governor's 54th birthday and the Starks' ninth wedding anniversary.

Pope Pius Prays Anew For Peace

VATICAN CITY, Nov. 25—(AP)—Sadly noting that today's war, "instead of subsiding, goes on to gather new ferocity," Pope Pius XII prayed anew yesterday for "peace in our days."

He also pleaded for a new golden rule of war, urging that combatants never, "no matter in what circumstances, do to others that which they would not have done to themselves or their country."

The pontiff broadcast a 20-minute homily from St. Peter's Basilica at the conclusion of a special mass for the war dead to open a world day of prayer for peace.

"Peace among men which thou desirest is dead," he said. "Bring it back to life, oh Divine Conqueror of Death. x x x may whirlwinds, that in the light of day or in the dark of night scatter terror, fire, destruction and slaughter on humble folk, cease."

The pontiff blamed "contentious aspirations" for raw materials as responsible for war, but added: "The present hour is a phase in the solemn story of humanity predicted by Christ."

The usual pomp and color of a papal ceremony in St. Peter's was dispensed with at the pope's order. For the first time since he became pope, he walked into the basilica instead of using the portable throne.

Still Recalls His Trip By Ox Cart

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 25—(AP)—James Monroe Shuey celebrated his 101st birthday today, bedfast and almost blind, but still able to tell about coming to Missouri from Ohio by Ox cart in 1849.

That same year he and his father joined the gold rush to California, but turned back at Pike's Peak with "only a goose quill full of gold."

Later Shuey farmed in Franklin county, then came to St. Louis and worked for the Missouri Pacific railroad. Married at 18, his descendants include two great-great-grandchildren.

Shuey, who said he never was sick a day in his life, was unable to give a formula for living a century.

"I guess it is just up to the Lord," he said.

About Lightning

Lightning does not follow drafts unless the air stream is filled with smoke or vapor, in which case it would form a better conductor of electricity than the surrounding air.

'Clean Up Or Close Up' Urge

Walker Pierce Speaks To Rotary On Beer Industry

The "Clean Up or Close Up" program of the Missouri Brewers' Association and Beer Distributors' committee is an honest effort on the part of the $115,000,000 brewing industry in this state to aid in the enforcement of the liquor laws Walker Pierce, president of the committee, told members of the Rotary club at its weekly luncheon Monday noon at the Bothwell hotel.

"The brewers and distributors know that the unlawful, disorderly and noisy beer retail establishment influences public opinion in its neighborhood and that decent groups of citizens should not and will not long tolerate that kind of an establishment," Mr. Pierce stated.

"They also know that everybody notices the one black sheep in any family. For that reason, this program will inure to the public's benefit. It will, we hope, insure for you a more peaceful, law-abiding community. It will save for your schools at least a part of their revenue and it will save for the United States government some of the funds with which to pay an enormous debt and some of the funds with which we might be able to defend ourselves."

Gallonage Taxes

Calling attention to the economic value of the brewing industry in Missouri, the speaker said that the eight Missouri breweries comprising the Missouri Brewers' Association last year paid the federal government in gallonage taxes alone $21,000,000 or approximately $60,000 a day. This amount did not include general property taxes, income and sales taxes to which all are subject.

In addition the state of Missouri in 1939, the speaker said, received $960,000 in gallonage taxes or approximately $2,200 a day, of which amount $358,038.64 went to the support of the schools.

"Then you see that because of its vast contribution to the support of the general obligations of our government, to the support of our schools, this industry is an integral part of the economic life of the state of Missouri—benefits which I think you will deem worthy of consideration," Mr. Pierce said.

"I believe that I state the views of a majority of the people of this state in saying that all of us would like to procure for ourselves the certainty of the economic benefits which I have recited, provided, however, that we do not at the same time bring ourselves a recurrence of some of the anti-social conditions which are charged to the sale of beer."

Eager For Revenue

Eagerness of many states to secure revenue for empty treasuries was responsible to a measure, it was pointed out by the speaker, for a lack of proper consideration of enforcement along with regulations for the industry following re-legalization in 1933. "But fortunately for us in the state of Missouri, there has been for a period of the last few years, a determined effort by all our law-enforcement officers to procure a better and more substantial compliance with the liquor laws."

Praise was paid by the speaker to the state department of liquor control, "which understands the problem and is doing everything within its power to prevent violations of the law. Within the past week State Liquor Supervisor C. Ray Noel revoked eight licenses and suspended two others against whom complaints were previously filed by our committee.

To Aid Officers

"In organizing the Missouri Brewers' Association and Beer Distributors' committee we have been authorized to aid the officers in procuring among the retail beer dealers a better law enforcement, not because of any deficiency in the present method of control by the state, but in order to help them in their already sincere efforts to procure an enforcement of the law," the speaker stated.

Speaking through the Rotary club to the people of Sedalia and Pettis county, Mr. Pierce asked that "you allow us to join hands with you in procuring for you and ourselves, in our business the kind of law compliance you have a right to expect."

"If you will report the incidents connected with the sale of our product which aggravate you, to our office in St. Louis, then we will investigate the premises complained of and if our findings warrant a report to the state or local authorities, we will ask that the offender's license be revoked and that he be prosecuted in the criminal courts," he said.

To Have Demonstration

Ernest Thompson, president, presided and Fred Brink, to serve as program chairman for December announced the December 2 meeting would be in charge of J. U. Morris, chairman of the rural neighbor committee. A 4-H club demonstration will be given.

Ralph Carrel introduced these guests: George A. Hearne and Chris Johnson, both of Warrensburg. James C. Kirkpatrick, St. Louis, Heber U. Hunt and Ellsworth Green.

It was stated the Sedalia Rotarians now have two honorary members, John W. Stover and "Jack" McLaughlin.

• Knob Noster

Miss Jean Frances Carr, of Kansas City, spoke at the A. B. C. club at the home of Mrs. E. N. Johnson in Warrensburg Monday afternoon.. Her subpect was "Color and Personality in the Home." Miss Carr's mother, Mrs. W. J. Carr, and Mrs. J. M. Kendrick were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Tharrington, son Bobby of Kansas City, enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tharrington.

The Rev. and Mrs. G. B. Snapp spent last week with their daughter, Mrs. M. P. Morton and Mr. Morton in Belleville.

The Dorcas Sunday school class of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Laura Roadruck and Miss Florence Beatty Tuesday afternoon.

The following enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Covey and family: Mrs. Alma Saults, Mrs. Elmer Cassing, Miss Helen Muhnken and Glen Saults, of Concordia, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Saults of Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Saults of Warrensburg, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Saults, son Bert, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Saults, Mrs. Mary Covey and Mrs. Eula Patton.

Mrs. Mary Neighbors returned to her home in Warrensburg, following a visit of ten days with her son, Roy Neighbors and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stahlhut and son, Kenneth were dinner guests Thursday of Misses Mary and Blanche Anderson in La Monte.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thurston Thanksgiving day were: Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brown, son Glen Harvey of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schlusing and Otis Hume.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neighbors and son Spencer, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Alvah King, of Warrensburg enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Alvah King Jr., in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Williams and T. E. Williams spent Thursday with Dr. and Mrs. A. G. Hausam in Sedalia.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carr Thursday were: Miss Jean Carr of Kansas City, Miss Kate Koch of Marshall and James A. Koch.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clear, son Junior of Leeton, spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Clear's sister, Mrs. Roscoe Bagby and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Foster, daughter Waunetta and son Calvin and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Zink, Jr., and family were guests Wednesday night of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Dixon in Kansas City. Mrs. Dixon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Busby joined them Thursday and all returned home Thursday evening.

Thanksgiving dinner guests of Miss Rena Lay were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sibert and Mr. and Mrs. Louis P. Lay, daughters Josephine, Rosemary and Barbara.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kidwell, Mrs. Georgia Tanyer and Mrs. Mrs. Laura Douglas of Leeton were guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neighbors and family.

Miss Mabelle Jenks entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jenks, daughters Misses Olive and Doris at dinner at her home Wednesday evening, honoring the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Jenks and Miss Olive.

The Rev. W. T. Farley who has been critically ill at his home in Siloam Cprings, Ark., is reported to be improved. Rev. Farley was pastor of the Knob Noster Methodist church the past five years.

A turkey dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wimer and family Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dritt of California, Mo., Mrs. Mary Wimer of La Monte and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Wimer.

A dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gowins Thursday evening, honoring the birthday anniversary of Mr. Gowins. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Austin, son Everett Earl and Mrs. Annie Drinkwater of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Don Chick and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Feagans and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bartels and family.

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peterman Sunday were Mrs. John Pittinger, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Peterman, daughters Misses Elsie and Oma, son William, John Kaiser, Leota Mae Curnutt and Jane Swisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Parrott, sons Claude Dean and Clyde Gene, were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Parrott's cousin, Mrs. Dewey Parrott and family in Lexington. The dinner was in honor of Mrs. Claude Parrott's father, I. C. Gott of Kingsville.

Miss Doris Henderson, a student nurse at St. Joseph hospital in Boonville, spent the weekend with her father, Ralph Henderson and family.

Miss Adah Meredith entertained the following dinner guests Sunday at Albin's Cafe: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chipley of La Monte, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Chalfant, daughter Miss Vivian; Mrs. James Hogan, daughter, Miss Mary; Mr. and Mrs. George Gallaher, daughter, Mary Helen and Walter Baird.

The following enjoyed a turkey dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hume, south of town, Friday evening, honoring Mr. Hume's birthday anniversary: Mr. and Mrs. John Lampkin, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Thompson, Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Bradley of Warrensburg, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Craig of Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Davis and Otis Hume.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank House, son Larry and Mr. and Mrs. James Simpson were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lane and family, northeast of town.

Mrs. Millie Lay, sons Leon and Gene, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Lay and Mrs. Sam Clapper visited Sunday with Mrs. Millie Lay's sister, Mrs. Warren Webster, Mr. Webster and other relatives in St. Joseph.

Miss Kate Koch of Marshall spent the weekend with her father, James A. Koch.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Sheets and Louise Boyd of Columbia and William H. Boyd of Pittsburg, Kas., were guests Sunday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Zuber.

Miss Mary Virginia Blum of Warrensburg, visited her grandmother, Mrs. G. W. Anderson and her aunt, Mrs. John Stahlhut and family Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. White and the latter's mother, Mrs. Edith Elliott, of Webster Grove, were dinner guests Wednesday of Mr. White's sister, Mrs. Russell Kendrick and Mr. Kendrick. They were en route to Kansas City to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Allen of Windsor were dinner guests Sunday of her father, W. E. Zink and daughter, Miss Elaine.

Russell Dillon and children, Patty Lee and John Wallace of Sweet Springs, visited Saturday with Mrs. Anice Hedrick.

S.-C. Alumni Victorious Over Clinton 6-0

Sedalians Play With Only 13 Players; Get Score First Quarter

Who said "13" wasn't a lucky number? It isn't the belief of the Smith-Cotton high school Alumni football team now because they defeated Clinton high school Alumni gridsters 6 to 0 Sunday afternoon. Sedalia had only thirteen players in the game at Clinton.

It was the second time these two teams have played this season, the first game being a scoreless tie, and played on the Sedalia gridiron. More than 300 fans saw the game Sunday at Clinton.

30-Yard Pass

The Tiger Alumni play was set up about the middle of the first quarter when Sedalia took the ball on the Clinton 40-yard line. Clayton Morris plunged the line for five yards. The next play Paul Evans whipped a 30 yard pass to Jack Woods placing the ball on the five yard stripe.

Evans then, carrying the ball, plunged throught the line for the last five yards and a touchdown. The Sedalians failed to make the extra point.

When it came time for the Sedalia players to gather together and go to Clinton, many of the Alumni gridsters who played in the first game failed to report. When only thirteen were available they left for Clinton even minus a coach.

Two Substitutes

The Sedalians played hard through the game using one backfield substitute and one line substitute. When they returned home Sunday night they were a happy group of boys but weary.

The Sedalia lineup was: Rider and Sullivan ends; Dalstedt and King tackles; Wild and Hall, guards; Morgenstern at center; Paul Evans, quarterback, Cecil Hill and Jack Woods half backs, and Clayton Morris full back. Horace Nichols, an end, substituted in the line and Connie Michaelis in the backfield.

Clinton's lineup: Kimsley and McNutt ends; Hartle and Barrows, tackles; Mansfield and McKinley, guards; Hill at center; Scrogham and La Hue at half back positions; Mc Queen quarterback and Aggie Mc Millian full back.

Is Still On Crutches

Mrs. Dee Powell is still walking on crutches and will be for some time, the result of a broken bone in her foot and a sprained ankle, suffered three weeks ago.

Granted a Divorce

Charles R. West was granted a divorce from Edith Fay West in the circuit court Saturday afternoon.

Soybean Production

Approximately 57,000,000 bushels of soybeans are produced annually, providing work for 50,000 persons, today. Twenty-five years ago, the soybean was virtually unknown.

The mocker-nut hickory gets its name from the Dutch "mockernoot," meaning "heavy-hammer nut," since it requires a heavy hammer to crack its fruit.

A 20-degree drop in the winter temperature is a cold wave on earth—the temperature on the moon drops 400 degrees at sunset.

Einar Holboell, a Danish postal clerk, originated the idea of the Christmas seal for tuberculosis sufferers.

• Obituaries

George W. Tomlinson

George W. Tomlinson passed away at his home five miles northeast of Otterville, at 11:15 o'clock Friday night, following a lingering illness. He was 72 years old.

Mr. Tomlinson was born on January 27, 1868 near Pilot Grove, and has spent practically his entire life in the neighborhood of Pilot Grove and Otterville.

He was married to Maude Odil who survives with the following children: Velma, Edgar, Edith and Eugene Tomlinson of the home, Mrs. Ralph Arnold of Sedalia, Mrs. James Crane of Bunceton, Cecil Tomlinson of Tipton and Mrs. Jas. Fry of Otterville. Also surviving are six grandchildren and the following brothers and sisters: Jerry Tomlinson of Pisgah, Eugene Tomlinson, Mrs. Eliza Solomon and Mrs. Thea Woolery of Sedalia, Mrs. John Clinger of Holden, and Mrs. Homer Bell, of Knob Noster.

Mrs. Sarah Scott

Mrs. Sarah Scott, 74, of Eldorado Springs, Mo., mother of O. L. Scott, 409 Dal-Whi-Mo court, died Saturday morning in Twin Falls, Idaho.

She had been ill there three weeks and her son, of this city, had been with her for the past week.

Mrs. Scott, widow of Joseph Scott, who died a number of years ago, leaves four daughters, all living in Twin Falls, and her son in Sedalia.

Funeral of Adam P. Scott

Funeral services for Adam Patrick Scott, who passed away last Thursday morning were conducted at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Hopewell Baptist church. The Reverend J. R. Sumners, officiated.

Six nephews of the deceased served as pall bearers.

Interment was in the Scott cemetery.

Funeral of W. S. Pirtle

The funeral services for William Sandfort Pirtle, who passed away last Thursday night, were held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the East Sedalia Baptist church, with the Reverend Walter P. Arnold, pastor officiating, assisted by the Reverend R. W. Leazer, of the First Baptist church.

Pall bearers were the following friends: Fred Seifner, Abe Moulden, Charles Watson, James Teeters, Frank Less and Floyd Doogs.

Interment was in the Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. L. E. Hueston, Los Angeles, California, a sister of Mrs. Pirtle will arrive Monday to spend a few days with her sister and other relatives. Mrs. Hueston was unable to reach Sedalia in time for the funeral.

Charles Necessary

Charles Necessary, 84 years old, well known resident of the Smithton neighborhood, passed away at his home south of Smithton about 6:25 o'clock Sunday morning. He had been in declining health for some time.

Mr. Necessary was born February 2, 1856 at Withville, West Virginia, the son of the late Wesley and Anna Necessary. As a young man he came to Missouri to reside making his home in Jackson, County, near Buckner, Mo. Twenty-two years ago he came to Pettis county and resided on a farm south of Smithton.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Alice N. Necessary, of the home, and the following children: Elmer of Kingsville, Hardy and Acey of La Tour, Mo., James, of Lone Jack, Bryan, of Independence, and Miss Mamie Necessary of the family home.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 o'clock yesterday morning at the family home, after which the body was taken to the Oakland church, near Buckner, where services were conducted at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The Reverend L. M. Starkey district superintendent of the Methodist churches, officiated.

Pallbearers were friends of the of the family. Interment was in the church cemetery.

The body was taken to the Gillespie Funeral Home and returned to the family home Sunday afternoon.

Nine In Missouri Die Violent Deaths

By The Associated Press

Missouri counted at least nine violent deaths over the extended Thanksgiving week-end.

Traffic fatalities topped the list with six. A 2-year-old boy died after drinking poison which he believed was grape juice, a man was injured fatally in a fall downstairs, and a woman hanged herself.

Fifteen persons died in highway accidents alone, during the 1939 Thanksgiving week-end.

Injuries In Auto Accident Prove Fatal

FAYETTE, Mo., Nov. 25.—(AP)—Paul Riggs, of Columbia, Mo., died in a Fayette hospital Sunday, victim of a smoke-caused motor car crash.

The car in which he and Ray Ginridge, also of Columbia, were riding missed a curve and crashed through a fence Friday night. Witnesses said smoke from a burning sawdust pile obscured the curve on highway 240. Ginridge was reported in improved condition from injuries yesterday and was taken home.

Second Victim of An Automobile Accident

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Nov. 25.—(AP)—Bernice Stafford, 16-year-old Elkland girl, died in a hospital here early today, the second victim of an auto accident near Stockton Saturday night. Loyd Tolbert, 26, of Fair Play, died Saturday after the car failed to make a curve and turned over. Three others were injured.

Sentenced On Charge Of Criminal Attack

NEVADA, Mo., Nov. 25.—(AP)—Guy G. Ormsby, 46, construction worker and father of three children, was sentenced to 25 years in the Missouri penitentiary today on a plea of guilty to a charge of criminally attacking his 10-year old daughter.

Sentence was assessed by Circuit Judge Thomas W. Martin.

Issues Letters of Administration

Letters of administration on the estate of Mary F. Mittle have been issued to Mathias Mittle by Probate Judge J. E. Smith.

Named Administrator

Letters on the estate of Harold McLaughlin were issued by Probate Judge J. E. Smith to Edward H. McLaughlin.

• Real Estate Transfers

W. B. Hert, Jr., city collector, to Dan Kerns, collector's deed to the property at the northwest corner of Pettis street and Park avenue, $30.

C. C. Nash and wife to Emma S. Woodward, warranty deed to the property on the south side of Main street between Massachusetts and Washington avenue $1.00 and other consideration.

J. B. Greer, county collector to Fred A. Benz and Susie M. Benz, collector's deed to property on the south side of Fourth street between Hancock and Marvin avenue $197.19.

J. B. Greer, county collector, to Fred A. Benz and Susie M. Benz, collector's deed to the property on North Broadway, west of Osage avenue $50.78.

J. B. Greer, county collector, to C. F. Hartenbach, collector's deed, to property on the south side of Fifteenth street between Ingram and Thompson avenue $88.75.

W. B. Hert, Jr., city collector, to Millard C. Hume and Grace Hume collector's deed to property on the east side of Carr avenue between Eighteenth and Twentieth streets. $14.33.

J. B. Greer, county collector, to W. M. Eckles, collector's deed to property on the north side of Fifteenth street between Wagner and Center avenue $1.00.

W. B. Hert, Jr., city collector, to Dan Kerns, collector's deed to the property at the northeast corner of Twenty-eighth street and the railroad $11.17.

J. B. Greer, county collector, to Dan Kerns, collector's deed to the property at the northwest corner of Seventh street and Summit avenue $237.21.

J. B. Greer, county collector, to E. E. Rhine, collector's deed to 159 acres of land, more or less, in Blackwater township $1,700.

Mary Riley Patterson and husband and others to Minnie Riley, warranty deed to the property at the southeast corner of Grand avenue and Johnson street, $1.00, love and affection.

Kathryn Winstead and others to the City of Sedalia, warranty deed to the property on the north side of Ninth street between Osage and Ohio avenue $5,000.

J. B. Greer, county collector, to Guy and Arvella Ballew, collector's deed to ten acres of land in Blackwater township $50.00.

J. W. Gerdts and wife to Minnie O. Ison, warranty deed to the property on the west side of Stewart avenue between Main and Second streets $1.00 and other consideration.

Virginia Smith Harris and husband to Lottie Johnson, quit claim deed to the property on the east side of Johnson street between Moniteau and Missouri avenues $1 adn other consideration.

Laura Kellner to D. L. Sizemore warranty deed to the property on the north side of Fifth street between Emmett and Babcock avenues $500.

J. B. Greer, county collector to George C. Dewan, collector's deed to property on the south side of Twenty-sixth street between Lafayette and Ingram avenues $51.

Bankers Life Insurance Co. to J. N. Kearn, special warranty deed to 80 acres of land, more or less, in Elk Fork township and land in Johnson county $3,000.

J. B. Greer, county collector, to Dr. C. L. Parkhurst, collector's deed to the property in the town of Houstonia $26.

The Prudential Insurance Co., to Lawrence H. Liebmann and Vera L. Liebmann, special warranty deed to 48 acres of land, more or less, in Washington township $1.00 and other consideration.

L. W. Dickman and wife to the City of Sedalia, quit claim deed to the property north of Third street and east of Montgomery avenue $1 and other consideration.

Myrtle L. Farley, G. and C. to Charles W. Farley and Lola S. Farley., Gr. and collector's deed to property at the southwest corner of Ninth street and Beacon avenue $125.

Clarence N. Farley and wife and others to Charles W. Farley and Lola S. Farley, warranty deed to the same property as last described $1.00 and other consideration.

Opinion On Officials' Pay

Population Figures Will Not Alter Them At Present

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 25.—(AP)—The attorney general's office held today that the federal census figures changing county populations could not be used to alter the salaries of any county officials this year.

The opinion ruled that salaries—based on populations—could not be increased or decreased until the close of the officials' fiscal year and that no officer was entitled to back salary retroactive to April 1, effective date of the new census.

The compensation of county cierks, treasurers, prosecuting attorneys, circuit clerks and some other officials are regulated by federal census figures. Most of them begin their new fiscal years in January.

"It is the opinion of this department," said the ruling, "that the circuit clerk, prosecuting attorney and other county officers affected by the decrease or increase of the population could only be paid in accordance with said increase or decrease at the beginning of the next fiscal year of his term after the population had been determined by the federal government, and that no increase be allowed or or decrease be ordered before the first day of the fiscal year following the year 1940."

"Another question that will arise," said the opinion, "is whether or not the office of circuit clerk and recorder of deeds should be combined when the population of the county is shown by the official census to be lower than 20,000 * * *

"It is the opinion of this department that since the office of recorder of deeds shall remain a separate office for the entire term for which such persons has been or may be elected, then it is not affected by the decennial census of 1940 and by reason of this section the office of the circuit clerk shall remain separate and apart from the office of the recorder of deeds."

Fined for Having Pelts Under Ban

Willis Buckley, charged with having a racoon and civet pelts in his possession, and Robert L. Mabry, charged with having a racoon in his possession, were fined $5 and costs in the justice court of J. C. Connor yesterday. Not being able to pay they were taken to the county jail to serve time.

James and John McMullin, living north of Sedalia, are charged with hunting without licenses and will have a hearing.

The warrants were issued on information furnished by Wm. Marshall, of Marshall, conservation agent.

Lamy Company Given Contract

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—(AP)—The war department announced award of the following contracts to Missouri companies:

Overman and Company, Springfield, 60,000 pair light serge trousers, $38,805; A. F. Martin Manufacturing Company, Tipton, 30,000 pair light serge trousers, $17,091; J. A. Lamy Manufacturing Company, Sedalia, 12,000 denim working suits, $24,587; Pyramid Clothing Manufacturing Company, St. Louis, 5,000 denim working suits, $9,450.

Donations For Nursery Helpful

The Melita Day Nursery board, matron and others interested in that institution are deeply appreciative of numerous donations made recently a goodly portion of which will help supply food for the children cared for there in the coming weeks.

Last Wednesday through generous gifts of food a fine repast suitable to the Thanksgiving season was served at the nursery to between fifty and sixty children.

Divcree Is Sought

A divorce petition was filed in the circuit court today by Silas Lee against Letha Lee, in which the plaintiff alleged his wife fired three shots from a revolver at him. He also alleged other general indignities. The couple married in April, 1929.

Crawford and Harlan are attorneys for the plaintiff.

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